WEATHER
Windy and warm with showers late tonight and Friday. Colder Friday night.

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ERIE
Lie detector tests may be used to determine truth in testimony given at Erie probe. See Page 2.

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UNION OFFICIAL IS HELD FOR BRIBERY

UN FORCES DIG IN—Troops of the UN emergency forces dig in at Raffha, Egypt, following the withdrawal of Israel forces from the Gaza area.

Middle East Tensions Dramatically Eased

By UNITED PRESS

Middle Eastern tensions dramatically eased today.

Egypt, in a sudden turnabout from earlier hostility, announced it would give "full cooperation" to United Nations Emergency Forces in the Gaza Strip.

In Jerusalem, in the United Nations, in Washington and other interested capitals, Israel continued to press its diplomatic campaign against Egyptian re-entry to the explosive strip.

But an authoritative Israeli source in Jerusalem made these points in a summation for United Press Correspondent Eliav Simon:

—Israel does not plan anything resembling military involvement in Gaza now.

—Premier David Ben-Gurion's government is not interested in possession of the Gaza Strip with the attendant problem of feeding its 300,000 residents.

—Israel will not bother with legal interpretation of big - power "promises" if its day-to-day life is not interfered with.

The Egyptian government newspaper Al Goumhouria said Maj. Gen. Hassan Abdel Latif, the newly appointed governor, planned to go to Gaza today.

Israel launched a major diplomatic offensive to keep Egypt out of Gaza, but a high Israeli source said "recent history" would be repeated if Egypt moves in and uses the area for military operations.

Right of Action

The mention of "recent history" was a clear reference to Israel's October drive into the Sinai Desert. It followed Premier David Ben-Gurion's warning of Wednesday that Israel reserved the right of action in the Gaza crisis.

Dr. Ralph Bunche, U.N. assistant secretary general, and Maj. Gen. E.L.M. Burns, commander of the U.N. Emergency Force, flew to Gaza today to prepare for Egypt's return to the controversial area now administered by the NEF.

They assured Egyptian officials Wednesday that the UNEF had no plans to internationalize the strip and that the UNEF would make no attempt to administer it temporarily.

Bunche's statement brought dismay in Israel and Foreign Minister Golda Meir began talks with Western diplomatic representatives on their moral commitments to keep Egypt out of Gaza until a Mideast settlement in reached.

Israeli representatives at the United Nations sought clarification of the UNEF status and Ambassador Abba S. Eban conferred in Washington with the State Department. He warned that the sit-

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Short, Bloody Revolt Fails in Havana; President Batista Safe

HAVANA, Cuba (UP) — Police rounded up opposition party members by the dozen today and tanks still ringed the presidential palace in the wake of a short but bloody revolt that penetrated to President Fulgencio Batista's office.

The death list in the revolt, which apparently included former government officials as well as university students, rose to 38 today. Among the dead was an American tourist, one of hundreds caught in the cross-fire of the sudden attack.

The United Press learned today that a "suicide squad" of 21 men carried out the actual storming of the palace. None emerged alive.

At least 20 of the dead were members of the 100-man Palace Guard. Batista, who was in the palace at the time, was unharmed. Four rebels were captured. Five were seen escaping.

Scattered gunfire could be heard throughout the city until late Wednesday night, but early this morning Havana was like a graveyard.

Batista told newsmen shortly before midnight the attackers were "poor mad fools paid by people who looted the national treasury, carrying out directives of the Communist Party."

He said about 40 revolutionaries

Fulgencio Batista

were involved in the attack. The Army placed the figure at 30. This correspondent counted between 25 and 30.

Constitutional guarantees have been in suspension since Feb. 15, but no martial law or formal curfew was imposed on Havana. Police asked civilians to stay off the streets Wednesday night and they did.

Identification of the first few rebels slain indicated the group comprised mostly university students loyal to Dr. Carlos Prio Socarras, former president ousted by Batista in 1952 and now living in exile in Miami, Fla.

The American killed was Peter Korenda, 38, of Clifton, N.J., a clerk at the Hayden Chemical Works in Garfield, N.J. He was hit in the neck by a stray bullet while watching the fighting from the doorway at the Hotel Regis a block from the palace.

Korenda was here on a two-week vacation with Edward Butts, of Garfield, N.J. Butts was wounded slightly.

The attack started at 3:25 p.m. A red truck, a white bus and three black limousines pulled up near the palace. Some 25-30 young men armed with sub-machineguns, pistols and hand grenades poured out

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Stephen Sinchak

Teamsters Boss, James R. Hoffa, Nabbed in Trap

WASHINGTON (UP) — Teamsters Vice President James R. Hoffa replied to government bribery charges today with the declaration that he is innocent "of any wrong-doing."

"I will fight this case until I am cleared," he said.

The chunky Hoffa, regarded generally as the crown prince of the giant Teamsters union, made the declaration to reporters a few hours after the government accused him of bribing his way into the secret files of the Senate Rackets Committee.

Freed in $25,000 bail in today's small hours, the muscular little unionist said this "is not the first instance when a labor leader has been unjustly accused."

FBI agents arrested Hoffa at a swank hotel shortly before midnight after working with the Senate committee for a month to lay a trap baited with specially prepared committee documents.

Chairman John L. McClellan (D-Ark) said at today's committee session that he expects the rackets investigation to "encounter other obstacles . . . other difficulties." He told any "who plan such a course that we will try to meet them and accept such a challenge and deal with them accordingly."

Hoffa Issues Statement

Hoffa met with reporters after conferring with his attorney, Edward Bennett Williams. He read a brief statement but refused to answer any questions. He said he does not want "to try my case or present my defense in the newspapers."

A hearing is scheduled in federal court here March 28. Hoffa said in his statement:

"I am not guilty of any wrongdoing and will so plead in court.

"I will fight this case until I am cleared.

"I have been in the labor movement all my life and have had to fight labor's battles on the picket lines and in the courts against the forces opposed to trade unionism."

Hoffa's arrest rocked the big union. The FBI said it found the documentary "bait" in his possession.

At the same time the FBI arrested a one-time congressional committee counsel, Hyman I. Fischbach, in Coral Gables, Fla., and Hoffa's secretary, Mrs. Fred Dobrescu, in Detroit. It charged Fischbach with bribery and held Mrs. Dobrescu as a material witness.

Hoffa was arrested shortly before midnight as he entered an elevator at the DuPont Plaza Hotel where he has a suite. G-men hustled him before U.S. Commissioner James Splain for arraignment on the bribery charge.

The FBI charged him with offering New York attorney John Cye Cheasty $18,000 to secure a job with the rackets committee to

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West Penn to Sell Stock in Expansion Plan

HARRISBURG (UP)—The West Penn Power Co., Pittsburgh, today had Public Utility Commission authority to sell up to $12,000,000 worth of common stock to help finance a $61,000,000 construction program.

The PUC granted the company permission to sell the stock for a 1957-58 building program. The firm said new substations, rural and urban line extensions to new customers and improvements to existing generating facilities were planned under the two year project.

The company also will construct part of a 54-mile 132,000 volt electric transmission line in parts of Jefferson and Elk counties. The line will extend from near Widnoon, Armstrong County, to the Elko substaton near Kersey, Elk County.

The firm said the line will link its transmission system covering Allegheny, Armstrong, Butler, Cameron, Centre, Clnton, Clarion, Elk, Fayette, Greene, Indiana, Lycoming, McKean, Potter, Washington and Westmoreland counties.

New Kensington Theatre Firm Sues Distributors

PITTSBURGH (UP)—Operators of the Battola Theater of New Kensington have filed suit in U.S. District Court accusing 12 motion picture distributors, producers and exhibitors of conspiring to monopolize the industry.

The plaintiffs, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Dattola in their suit, which seeks $750,000 treble damages, charged the defendant firms with price-fixing, block-booking and discrimination against independent theaters in the showing of first-run pictures.

Named defendants were: Paramount Film Distributing Corp., Twentieth Century - Fox Film Corp., Warner Brothers Theaters of Pennsylvania, Inc., Stanley Warner Management Corp., Warner Brothers Pictures Distributing Corp., Loew's Inc., RKO Pictures Inc., Columbia Pictures Corp., Universal Film Exchanges, Inc., United Artists Corp., Allied Artists Productions, Inc., and Republic Pictures Corp.

Phone Pranksters Warned by Police

Pranksters who have been molesting residents over the telephone will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law when apprehended, Chief of Police Michael Kuvinka said today.

He stated telephone officials said they will cooperate in the drive to "catch these pranksters in the act."

Kuvinka said even if the molesters are juveniles they will be arrested and prosecuted.

Spadafore Renamed To Local Authority

Monessen City Council yesterday appointed Emil Spadafore to another five-year term on the Municipal Authority.

The recommendation, made by Mayor Hugo J. Parente, passed unanimously.

20 Are Killed In Crash of British Airliner

MANCHESTER, England (UP) —A British European Airways Viscount turbo-prop airliner crashed into a row of houses and burned just outside Ringway International Airport today. An official announcement said 20 persons aboard the plane were killed.

Three persons, including a mother and her child, were reported trapped in one of the houses demolished by the plane.

The Viscount was en route from Amsterdam, Holland, to the Ringway airport on the outskirts of Manchester, third largest city in England. The crash occurred a quarter of a mile short of the runway. The plane carried 15 passengers and a crew of five.

A large number of ambulances was dispatched to the scene.

Cyril Barnet, a gardener who was working in a nursery some 500 yards from the demolished homes, said the engines "revved up as though something was wrong . . . it leaned over to its right and seemed to be trying to avoid the houses."

"Then there was a terrific explosion as it crashed into the houses, followed by a terrible blaze of fire," he said.

Charleroi Tax Boost Approved

The 1957 tax levy for the Borough of Charleroi has been fixed at 17 mills, a two-mill increase over the 1956 assessment.

Charleroi Council, which approved the 1957 budget Tuesday night, said the tax increase became necessary of the $15 per month pay increase for borough employes. The increase is retroactive to Jan. 1.

Belle Vernon Firemen Answer Many Alarms

Firemen in the Belle Vernon area were kept busy yesterday going to and from fires.

Six alarms were answered by Belle Vernon and North Belle Vernon companies, some of which were received while still at the scene of another.

The major fire damage was reported to the six-room frame residence of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cramer, of 207 State street.

The blaze broke out in the eaves of the roof shortly after 2:30. It started in a bird's nest and spread rapidly to the outside of the building. The damage was confined to the outside.

The first alarm came shortly before noon, when a car caught fire at the corner of Market and State streets. Damage was reported as negligible.

About 3 p. m. equipment from the two companies was rushed to Speers Hill and joined Charleroi firemen in extinguishing a field fire.

Just about 5 p. m. both companies were called to Route 51 in Rostraver Township to help extinguish another field fire and upon their return answered an alarm in East Belle Vernon where a shed on the rear of the Fantini property had caught fire from a nearby brush blaze. The shed was destroyed, but damage was not considered great.

While in East Belle Vernon, firemen were summoned to Henry street, near Pricedale, where another grass fire was extinguished.

Meanwhile, Fairhope and Fayette City firemen, were called to extinguish a field fire yesterday afternoon near the Marion School in Fairhope.

Independent Democrat To Run for Coroner

A newcomer to the Westmoreland County political field, Patrick J. Doyle, of Greensburg, has announced his candidacy for county coroner on the Democratic ticket in the May 21 primary.

Doyle becomes the first Democrat to oppose incumbent Stephen D. Yoney, of Monessen, who is serving by appointment. The only Republican in the race thus far is Joseph R. Hunter, of Latrobe.

In announcing his candidacy, Doyle said:

"It is time that more independent Democrats enter the political field as a challenge to the machine politics that have made elections in Westmoreland County a closed corporation serving a privileged few."

Hits at Turner

He said it is time the independent-thinking Democrats "face the fact that it has been their apathy and indifference that has brought about a situation where the Democrat party, once considered the people's party, has been permitted to degenerate into a machine operating of, by and for a closely knit organization flagrantly violating all principles of Jeffersonian Democrat ideals."

In another part of his announcement, Doyle took a swipe at several prominent members of the powerful Democratic machine in the county.

He cited the appointment of Chief County Detective A. B. (Buddy) Turner's son, Raymond Turner, to the vacancy of clerk of courts, the naming of Yoney," by the (Mayor) Hugo Parente Monessen machine," to the vacancy in the coroner's office, and the "willful by-passing" of Joseph Rush for re-election to Greensburg City Council by City Democratic Chairman Eddie Gordon, an assistant county detective, and a "wheelhorse for the Turner machine."

Five Candidates For County Judge

The State Elections Bureau in Harrisburg reported today that five candidates for Westmoreland County judicial posts have filed nomination petitions for the May 21 primary:

Incumbent Edward G. Bauer, of Greensburg; District Attorney Alexander Sculco, of New Kensington; Joseph M. Loughran, former assistant district attorney, of Greensburg; Avra N. Pershing, Jr., Greensburg attorney, and James L. McWherter, an attorney from Derry.

All five have filed on both the Democrat and Republican tickets.

Deadline for filing petitions for offices in the County is 4 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Weekend special-daffodils 50 cents doz.; gladioli $1 doz. Johnston the Florist. Cash and Carry.

Fish sandwiches at No. 1 Fireman's Club, Giba Building, Friday.

Allegheny Hits Elimination of Machinery Tax

PITTSBURGH (UP) — Passage of a pending bill which would outlaw the taxing of machinery as real estate in Pennsylvania would have a "crippling effect" on numerous boroughs and townships in Allegheny County, according to the Board of County Commissioners.

The commissioners said the effect on the county itself, the last in the state still imposing the tax, would not be "too serious," but they pointed out the bulk of the $300 million assessment on machinery is in 37 townships and boroughs and three third-class cities.

Local municipal and school taxes would have to be boosted as much as 30 per cent in these communities to make up for the loss in assessments, if the bill is passed, the commissioner said.

The anti-machinery tax bill wa introduced by Reps. Donald L. Thompson, Mt. Lebanon, and Laurence V. Gibb, Sewickley, who contend the tax places Allegheny County industries in an unfavorable competitive position.

Fayette Jurists Seek Reelection

Two Fayette County jurists, seeking renomination on both the Republican and Democratic tickets, will file petitions today with the state Burau of Elections in Harrisburg.

Making their bids for reelection are President Judge Ross S. Matthews of the Orphans Court and President Judge W. Russell Carr of Common Pleas Court.

A former district attorney, James A. Reilly, also filed his petition for the Democratic nomination for Orphans Court.

Next Monday is the deadline for filing petitions.

New Stanton Man Burns to Death

GREENSBURG, Pa. (UP) — G. Lund, 83, New Stanton, burned to death Wednesday while fighting a brush fire near his home.

Lund had been burning brush piles with his son, Axel, 50, and grandson, Larry, 18, when wind spread the flames to a nearby field. While trying to confine the blaze, Lund became separated from the others and was trapped by the flames.

Stephen Sinchak Enters Field in Mayoralty Race

Stephen Sinchak, a local real estate man, today became the third candidate for mayor on the Democratic ticket in the May 21 primary.

He will oppose thus far, incumbent Hugo J. Parente and John Stieska, a druggist.

Sinchak will be making his second bid for the Democratic nomination for mayor. In his previous bid in 1953, Sinchak polled 1,055 votes as against 4,047 for Mayor Parente and 2,232 for Michael Ferencz, a police officer.

In his announcement today Sinchak said he is "contemplating the facts and figures method of campaigning and plans new issues that no candidate would think about. These include political, financial and economical subjects."

He said he has a "great desire to educate the public in good government."

Will Run in 1961

Sinchak added that "politics is in my blood, and you can't keep it out."

He said the public can also be sure that "I'll be a mayor candidate in 1961 without a doubt."

He took issue with Parente in his announcement, stating:

"In the 12 years of the present Mayor's reign, his influential connections with Washington, D. C., Harrisburg and Greensburg have never been put to use, except to help a few of his friends.

"The Mayor acknowledges that

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Education Group To Hold Banquet

The ninth annual legislative banquet of the Western Convention District, Pennsylvania Education Association, will be held Saturday at 6:30 p. m. at the Gateway Plaza, Pittsburgh.

Several members of the Monessen Education Association plan to attend.

Easter Seal Campaign Will Start Tomorrow

The Easter Seal Society of Westmoreland County tomorrow will open a five-week campaign to raise $21,000 for the maintenance of service to the handicapped in the County, Robert Rial, of Greensburg, chairman, announced today.

The chairman said that 50,000 homes throughout the County will receive the traditional Easter Seals. Receipts from the sale of Seals are the principal means of financing the Society's extensive work among crippled children and adults.

Last year Easter Seals made possible the full-time treatment center in Greensburg. Braces, summer camps, testing programs, parent counseling and assorted other services were made available to all who needed them. Those who can are asked to pay for the service, but those who cannot pay get the service free.

"Helping the handicapped calls for a complete program of many services," Rial stated.

"Services which need dollars as well as human understanding. It is a program which must reach out to crippled children while they are still children. It is a program planned to prepare them for a useful and productive life."

He urges residents to buy and use Easter Seals whenever possible.

Protest Group In Forward Twp. Wants Policemen

A Forward Township citizens committee protesting the disbanding of the township's two-man police force is scheduled to meet Monday with the Board of Supervisors to discuss the matter.

Protest petitions now in circulation have gathered more than 300 names. The protesters hope to obtain at least 500 names on the petitions before Monday's meeting.

Effective tomorrow, the services of Police Chief George Hines and Patrolman Anthony Piscitelli will terminate on the supervisors' recent "economy move" order.

State Police will patrol the township in the absence of the two-man force.

The supervisors have indicated their willingness to discuss the issue at a special meeting if public opinion favors reestablishment of the police force.

School Registration to Start Here in April

The annual spring registration of eligible school children in Monessen who are to attend kindergarten or first grade in public schools next September will be held next month, Dr. Joseph Pallone, superintendent, announced in a letter to parents today.

Dr. Pallone said registration for beginners at this time of year provides a better opportunity for parents to prepare their children for school; to become better acquainted with teachers, and enables the school administration to plan the educational program for new entrants in advance of the opening of the 1957-58 school term.

Parents are requested to bring the birth certificates of their children at the scheduled time for registration. Also, if the child has been vaccinated, the vaccination certificate should be presented at the same time.

Dr. Pallone pointed out that a vaccination certificate is required by law and must be presented before a child can be admitted to school in September.

To be eligible for admission to the first grade, a child must be six years of age before Feb. 1, 1958. If there is any doubt or question about eligibility, parents are asked to contact Dr. Pallone.

To be eligible for kindergarten, a child must be five years of age before Feb. 1, 1958.

Parents are asked to adhere to the following registration schedule for first graders:

Washington School, Monday, April 1; Lincoln, Tuesday, April 2; Jefferson, Wednesday, April 3; Linden, Thursday, April 4; Ben Franklin, Friday, April 5, and Vocational, Monday, April 8. Registration hours are from 9 to 11 a. m. at all schools.

Registration for kindergarten students will be held from 8:30 to 11

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Rostraver Voters Purged from Lists

The names of 170 Rostraver Township persons are among the 5,561 Westmoreland County residents whose names have been purged from the voting lists, the County Registration office reported today.

Robert P. DeLotto, registration chief, said postcards have been mailed notifying voters of their removal from registration lists for failure to cast ballots within the past two years.

Of the names purged, 3,590 were from lists of boroughs and third class cities and 1,971 from township.

To Endorse Candidate

PITTSBURGH (UP) — Republican chairmen and vice chairmen of the city's 32 wards meet tonight to endorse a candidate for the party's nomination for mayor.

Jr. Hi. Student Council bake sale, Saturday 9 to 4, Monessen Plumbing.

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Local Scouts To Advance to Life and Star

Several Scouts and Explorers from West Newton will receive new ranks at a Court of Honor to be held on Monday, April 1.

At a Bushy Run District Board of Review held recently, approval was received for the advancement of Glenn Markle to Life Scout and Jeff Bradley to Star Scout.

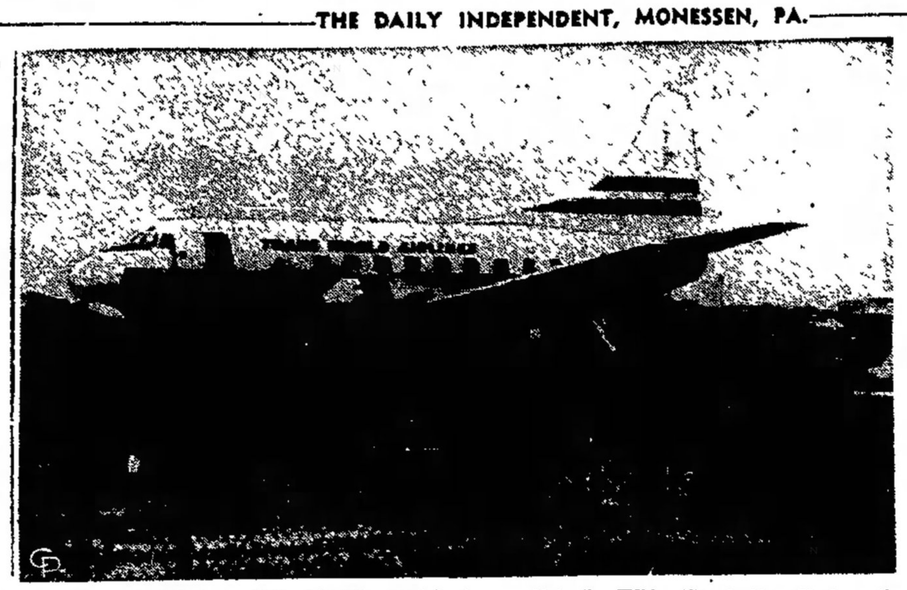
Glenn, who is a member of Troop 3, holds the God and Country award and serves as patrol leader of the Wolf Pack. Jeff, a member of Post 1, is deputy senior crew leader of the Post and serves as the senior patrol leader for Troop 3.

At a meeting of the board of Review for Troop 3 on Monday, Jerry Sirofchuck and Terry Moorhead were approved for advancement to Second Class Scout rank.

Boxer in Talk to Explorer Post

West Newton explorer Post 1 at its regular meeting heard a former boxer, Walter Landymore, of Clairton, who is now employed at the U S Steel Corp., Irvin Works.

He gave the Explorers a few pointers on boxing and presented some of the rules. Each one of the Explorers tried on the gloves.



PLANES SEARCHED IN BOMB SCARE —A telephone call to the TWA office in New York stating that a "bomb is on your plane" touched off searches of TWA planes at Philadelphia, Cleveland, Detroit, Baltimore and Pittsburgh as well as New York. Here a plane from La Guardia field lands in Boston after a mid-air search failed to uncover any bomb.

Law to Add Civil Servants

HARRISBURG (UP)—The General Assembly has received administration legislation to bring an estimated 24,000 Commonwealth technical and professional employes under civil service.

House Minority Leader Albert S. Readinger (D-Berks) and former House Speaker Hiram G. Andrews (D-Cambria) offered the legislation in the House Wednesday.

Gov. George M. Leader endorsed the proposal Tuesday in a special message to the chamber urging permanent civil service job protection for the state's "career personnel."

Leader said his administration brought nearly 10,000 persons under civil service by Executve Board action. But he warned that "what one Executive Board does, another can undo."

House Majority Leader Albert W. Johnson (R-McKean) indicated the GOP would move slowly, if at all, on the legislation. He said plans were underway to determine how many Republican jobholders were turned out by the Leader administration.

"We want to determine if this legislation we are asked to approve would not merely free Democratic employes who replaced Republicans in their jobs," Johnson said.

Bodies of Brothers Found in Lagoon

OCALA, Fla (UP)—The bodies of two young Negro brothers were found late Wednesday night in the bottom of a murky lagoon where they were drowned while searching for their lost dog.

Leon Bostic, 9, and his brother Alfred, 7, disappeared Tuesday afternoon after school on the hunt for the lost dog. Authorities drained the lagoon and found the bodies in a mud hole in one of the deep sections of the waterway

Claims Welfare Plan Illegal

HARRISBURG (UP) — Senate Majority Leader Rowland B. Mahany has charged that the agreements by which the Welfare Department subsidizes the higher education of future psychiatrists and social workers are illegal.

Mahany told the Senate that "in my opinion the agreements are not legal." Mahany asked the Senate Democratic leadership to have Attorney General Thomas D. McBride rule on the legality of the agreements.

Welfare Secretary Harry Shapiro disclosed the details of the agreements signed with 54 post-graduate students at Pennsylvania universities and colleges in a report submitted to the Senate at that chamber's request. A copy of the agreement is one of the exhibits in the report. In it the department agrees to pay the student a certain sum in addition to tuition in exchange for a pledge from the student for one year's employment at a state institution for every year of academic training with state aid. The financal aid would be given "in preparation for employment with the Welfare Department," according to the agreement.

"It is my understanding that Mr. Shapiro cannot pay anyone who is not an employe of the department or of the state and these people were simply 'in preparation' for state employment," Mahany said.

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Eileen Huber New Head of Hungarian Ladies Auxiliary

The Hungarian Ladies Auxiliary, of Pricedale, held a banquet and installation of officers service at Hungarian Hall Thursday. The installation was conducted by Steve Evans.

Invocation was given by Joanna Semencik.

The new officers installed follow.

Eileen Huber, president; Elizabeth Marinek, vice president, Ethel Turner, recording secretary; Ethel Donley, financial secretary, Ann Klawcho, treasurer; Helen Hughes, corresponding secretary; Kay Kaputo, social secretary; Julia Kara, Margaret Robacci and Margaret Halkowitz, ways and means committee; Elizabeth Nescot, Dolores Nescot and Christine Drotar, trustees.

The outgoing president, Mrs Ferencz, was presented with a gift and flowers and she, in turn, gave gifts to all her officers. The outgoing women officers were presented with an umbrella apiece and smaller gifts were presented to all women members.

Male officers were given fountain pens.

Door prizes were won by Helen Galayda, Margaret Robacci, George Spishock and Thelma Corrozza. Birthdays were observed by Ann Guth, Susan Nagy, Joanna Semencik and Wilma Mathews. Each received a cake and handkerchiefs.

A turkey dinner was served by the outgoing officers: Irene Ferencz, Joanna Semencik, Vern Hixenbaugh, Helen Galayda, Susan Nagy and Margaret Robacci.

Young People Teach

The young people of Webster Methodist Church were teachers of Sunday School last Sunday. Wayne Lewis taught the men's class; Dolores Howenstine, young men's class; Dorthea Volk, plus ultra class; Winoni Grilli, ladies' Bible class, and Ruth Adams, Good Samaritan Class.

The Youth Choir of Rostraver Township will meet tonight at 7.45 at Webster Methodist Church.

Lebanon P. T. A. Meeting Monday; Lunch Served

The Lebanon Parent-Teacher Association met Monday at the school with Robert Ammons, president in charge. The Rev. W. S. Van Ryn gave the invocation.

Gladys Lauer, program chairman, introduced the main speaker, Andrew Birney, an attorney and specialist with Mellon National Bank, of Pittsburgh. He spoke on "Estate Planning".

He stressed the importance of making a will, stating an average of 82 per cent of the public does not have a will and that 18 per cent of most wills are obsolete or inadequate. He urged that wills be made and be renewed frequently, if necessary.

Reports were given by Mrs Forest Peterson, secretary, and Mrs Rose Hughes, treasurer. The attendance banner was won by Miss Newcomer's room Mrs. Leona Rinehart gave the nominating committee's report.

Officers are: Andrew Sloan president; Mrs. Dolores Eberett vice-president; Mrs Dorothy Naylor, recording secretary, Mrs. Helen Lynch, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Rose Hughes, treasurer

Lunch was served by Mrs Tillie Schultz, Thelma Cuthbert and Margaret Aitkens. The St Patrick's Day theme prevailed.

Dinner Tomorrow For Olive Branch Baptist Church

The Olive Branch Baptist Church will hold a full course beef dinner tomorrow at the church starting at 5 p. m.

There will be no plate charge but a free-will offering will be taken. The purpose of the dinner is to help raise funds for the observance of the 100th anniversary of the church during the first week of August.

The public is invited to tomorrow's dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Timm Province, of Meadville, have returned home after visiting with friends and relatives in Fellsburg.

Midgets Ask Relief from Air Tariffs

RENO, Nev. (UP)—The Midgets of America asked the Civil Aeronautics Administration today for "relief from excessive tariffs" charged little people who ride airlines.

Billy Barty, the 3-foot-9 organizer of the world's first midget convention to be held at the Riverside Hotel here April 3-4, said full fare for midgets is "discriminatory and illogical"

"Air lines charge, for example, 79 cents a pound for excess luggage from New York to Reno, but take nothing off for a person who weighs, say, 75 pounds instead of the average 155," Barty said.

Barty weighs 74 pounds.

The petition was signed by Barty and Jerry Maren, vice president of the organization. It charged that both major airlines coming into Reno had refused to give midgets special consideration for their convention. It demanded one of these alternatives:

—Half fare.
—Two in a seat for half-fare.
—Free rides in "big peoples'" laps, if they are willing.
—Free rides in the overhead rack in exchange for entertaining other passengers.

Rostraver Grange To Hold Session Tomorrow P. M.

The Rostraver Grange will meet tomorrow at 8 p m in the Grange Hall.

Sewickley Grange, along with other Granges from Westmoreland County, wil pay an official visit to Rostraver Grange. The following program will be presented:

Susan Maras will sing a solo. David Scholl will play the harmonica, a 4-H report will be given by Eleanor Stark. Barbara Maras will be seen in a pantomime and Harry Byers will present "brain teasers".

Adolph Crawford will speak of the Grange

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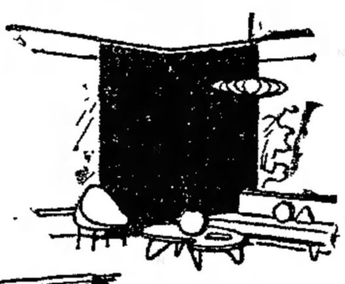

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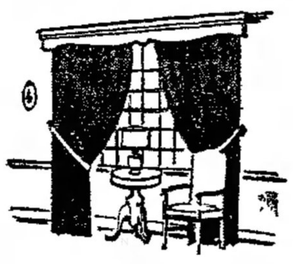

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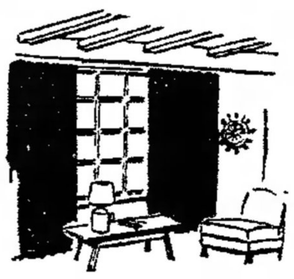

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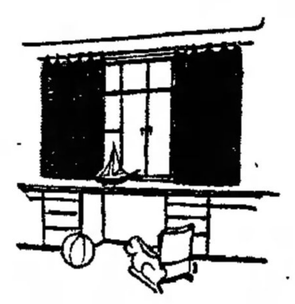

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Somerset Gets State Money

HARRISBURG (UP)—The state Commerce Department has allocated the Somerset County Redevelopment Authority $100,000 for slum clearance and redevelopment in the borough of Windber.

The department said most of the buildings in the Graham Avenue-16th Street area of the borough are in poor condition because of water damage caused by flooding of Paint Creek. These will be cleared out to make way for the new project.

The project eventually will consist of a city-owned parking facility and a modern shopping center. The state Forests and Waters Department is studying the problem preparatory to changing the course of the stream, to prevent the flooding.

GIVE THANKS FOR GIFT OF BLOOD — Rabbi Burton Mehler, and Father Paul Burns (left), both of the Bronx, N. Y., were among the hundreds who turned out at a Bronx church to give blood for the five hemophilic Sullivan boys. Here, the youths thank their benefactors. The boys (left to right) are: Thomas, 9; triplets Vincent, Raymond and Jeremiah, 4, and James, 7.

Getting Divorce not Easy in Soviet Union

By COLETTE BLACKMOORE

MOSCOW (UP) — There is an old Russian saying that "to marry is not as simple as putting on your slippers."

In present-day Russia, neither is divorce.

Times have changed in the Soviet Union since the early days of the revolution when getting a divorce was as easy and naturally accepted as telephoning a friend.

A married person did not even need the permission of his spouse—he simply notified the authorities and moved out.

Divorce bureaus virtually competed with marriage bureaus for customers. The story is told that after the 1917 revolution an eager marriage bureau received permission to hang out a sign reading: "Workers of the world, unite."

When the divorce bureau next door saw this grand appeal, it put up a gigantic sign saying: "You have nothing to lose but your chains."

In those days Soviet authorities recognized marriage by co-habitation. But in 1944, the carefree honeymoon of the revolution over, divorce was condemned, obstacles were placed in the way and a concerted campaign began to persuade young Soviet couples to stay together.

In a young married couples club in Stalino, Ukraine, today a notice proclaims in bold black letters, "No divorced people admitted."

Members of the club work at staying happily hitched. They hold discussions on such subjects as how to deepen love and respect, avoid jealousy, bring up children and share the housework.

According to the Konsomol (Young Communist) plan, if a marital rift develops, the unhappy couple is showered with the contempt of fellow members and expelled from the club.

Since 1944 only registered marriages have been recognized. Either husband or wife, or both, must submit an appeal to a purely advisory "people's court."

This court hears complaints and tries to help patch up the quarrel. If it fails, the case goes to a higher, regional court. A waiting period of 12 to 18 months ensues before a decision.

But meanwhile the couple must "walk the embarrassing and humiliating public plank" by printing an announcement of their coming divorce in the newspapers.

The authorities hope that pressure of public opinion will discourage the couple from pressing their case. A study of Moscow newspapers shows an average of 618 divorce announcements a month. At the official exchange rate, it costs $100 to get an announcement printed.

NAM Urges Fight Against Unionism

HOLLYWOOD BEACH, Fla. (UP)—A National Assn. of Manufacturers official called on management Tuesday to fight the AFL-CIO's drive to organize some 12 million white collar workers.

S. L. H. Burk, industrial relations director of the NAM, told 200 businessmen attending the NAM-sponsored Institute on Industrial relations:

"We have lost the battle of the production worker, and "we can't afford to lose the battle of the white collar worker. It's a matter of pro-management as against anti-unionism."

New Sales Tax Law Is Changed

HARRISBURG (UP) — The retroactive feature of new proposed exemptions for manufacturers in the state 3 per cent sales tax has been removed in the General Assembly by Sen. Edward J. Kessler (R-Lancaster), its author.

Kessler introduced amendments to the sales tax bill Wednesday removing the provision that exemptions be made retroactive to May, 1956. The amendments were approved by a Senate voice vote and the bill was placed in position for possible final action next Monday.

Senate Democratic Leader John H. Dent contended at Monday's session that because of the retroactive feature many persons who legally paid taxes on transactions would be entitled to refunds or "bonanzas" as he termed them.

Kessler, chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, said the only reason the retroactive feature was introduced in the first place was because the Sales Tax Bureau decided by directive that many articles believed non-taxable under the original sales tax law were taxable.

"We thought that if the bureau could go back now and say an item was taxable the amendments specifically exempting these items should be made retroactive," Kessler said. "Many taxpayers had to decide on their own when the tax was first imposed whether borderline items were taxable. Now at this late date, they find, by bureau order they are."

Disputes Claim

But Kessler disputed Dent's claim that large amounts of refunds were involved.

Meanwhile, House Majority Leader Albert W. Johnson (R-McKean) said that chamber was ready to give immediate concurrence to Senate amendments on the tax bills. He said House Republicans wanted to place the revenue measures on the desk of Gov. George M. Leader as soon as possible.

The chamber passed and sent to the Senate two bills concerning bridge construction. One would authorize the state Highways Department to survey the possibility of construction of a bridge across the Susquehanna River between Kingston Borough and Plains Twp., Luzerne County. The bill was approved unanimously.

Legislation by Rep. Paige Varner (R-Clarion) to authorize the department to build a $3-million span over the Clarion River passed 132-40.

The House also named Republicans Adam T. Bower (Northumberland) and Norman Wood (Lancaster) along with Democrat Martin C. Mihm (Allegheny) to a committee to study and report on all legislation which deals with pensions or retirement systems affecting state employes.

The Senate returns at 4 p.m. and the House at 4:30 p.m. next Monday.

HUNGER-STRIKING LAWYER FREED — Attorney Edward M. Joyce, 56, Quincy, Mass., is welcomed home by his wife, and two of their seven children, after his release from the Dedham, Mass., jail. Joyce went on a 72-hour hunger-strike after he was sentenced to 20 days for contempt. He had charged that Judge William J. Hickey, Jr., "practically acted as a lawyer for the other side," in a will contest. Judge Hickey ordered Joyce freed because his conduct in jail could possibly "impair his health."

How Can Jew Be Mayor of Dublin?

(This is the second of two stories on Dublin's Jewish Lord Mayor.)

By MICHAEL DENNIGAN

DUBLIN (UP) — How could a Jew be elected lord mayor of this Mother City of the Irish?

That is the question everyone asks about Robert Briscoe, 61, who took the ancient chain of office here last June and who flies to the United States this week for a tour that is "sold out" coast to coast.

The answer is fairly simple. It lies in Briscoe's character and record, the unpredictable temperament of the Irish and a little bit of luck.

He's A Fighter

Briscoe has a background of 40 years of fighting—for his country, for his people and in particular for the common citizens of Dublin, no matter their creed. And who admires a fighter more than an Irishman?

Briscoe got into the struggle for Irish freedom from Britain at an early age and it led him into a fabulous adventure of arms running in Europe and agitating in the United States where he once helped seize the Irish consulate in New York.

Briscoe was born in Dublin in 1895, the son of a furniture dealer. After his schooling he took a boat to America at age 22 and found a good job in the export - import business in New Jersey.

Ran Arms Supplies

After the Easter uprising of 1916, young Briscoe gave up his dreams of success in a new country and came back to Ireland where he joined up with the legendary intelligence director, General Michael Collins. Briscoe's knowledge of languages led Eamon de Valera to pick him for the job of organizing arms supplies from the continent for the Republican forces.

He had some narrow scrapes, including one time when he brought an arms shipment into Cork Harbor under British fire. Posing as a businessman he carried messages to Collins in London. His new wife discovered her husband was a revolutionary only when, in an emergency, he had her hide secret documents in their daughter's diaper.

De Valera later sent him to the United States to enlist aid and sympathy. In the raid on the quarters of the new Irish consul, he and his companions held out for a week until a police bomb squad dragged them out. On his visit this week he will meet one of the officers in that New York raid, retired Capt. James J. Gegan, now 82.

After a general amnesty was granted, Briscoe returned to Ireland and was first elected to the Parliament of the new free state in 1928. The next year he was also elected to the City Council where he became known as an expert on housing and finance.

His election as lord mayor last June 25 was partly due to chance. He, along with Mayor Denis Larkin, were tied with 19 votes each in the council. Following custom, they wrote their names on slips of paper and dropped them in a hat. Briscoe's name was drawn.

Briscoe is a devout Orthodox Jew, but politically he puts Ireland in front of all else and his countrymen respect him for it.

He is a real family man. He has seven children — Joan 35, married and in Ontario, Canada; William, 33, KLM airline pilot; Joseph, 28, a Dublin dentist; Brian, 24, a medical student; Bennie, 22, the "businessman" of the family; Ida, 21, a student physiotherapist, and Elsie, 18, a commercial student.

Nudists Want More Rights In the Public

MAYS LANDING, N. J. (UP) — A "Magna Carta of Nudists," printed in the cult's national magazine, Sunshine and Health, demanded Tuesday that space be set aside at public beaches, parks and picnic grounds and recreation centers so nudists "may freely live the natural life in the open."

The article, printed in the April edition of the magazine, also insisted on the "constitutional rights of a free press to print text and unaltered pictures which decently and naturally represent nudism as it actually is being lived and practiced."

The publication called for the "elimination from our statute books of all legislation that makes social nudism, per se, an illegal thing."

"Today, these demands represent the rightful desire of a minority," the magazine said. "Tomorrow, they may represent the priceless heritage of the majority."

'Rabbit Catchers' Save U. S. Pilots

WIESBADEN, Germany (UP)—Nylon "rabbit catchers" strung across the ends of runways saved 43 U.S. Air Force pilots from injury and $16 million worth of jet planes from the scrap heap last year at 22 Europen bases, the U.S. Air Force reported today.

The heavy webbing snags planes that have overshot the regular landing strip.

Concrete Proposal

LOS ANGELES (UP)—Councilman Ransom M. Callicott complaining that a "keep off the grass" edict prevented persons from enjoying a downtown park, proposed to the city council that the grass lawns be replaced by concrete painted green.

Margiotti Estate Worth $217,000

PITTSBURGH (UP)—A preliminary inventory of the estate left by the late Charles J. Margiotti, noted trial lawyer who died Aug. 26, showed he left about $217,000, mostly in stocks and bonds.

The inventory was filed by Alexander L. Suto, son-in-law of the former Pittsburgh attorney. Margiotti's will left his entire estate to his widow, Denise.

Blew His Chance

SAN JOSE, Calif. (UP)— An overzealous safecracker blasted himself out of business Wednesday when he tackled a bakery safe. Police said the burglar apparently used too much dynamite because the explosion blasted the safe through a wall, shattered windows and shredded currency in the safe. The culprit fled without collecting what little money was not destroyed.

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To go along with Lenten meals, combine Pomco whole green beans with small can sauteed button mushrooms. Toss lightly together, heat thoroughly and garnish with "curls" of butter. The butter curls are made by scraping the length of a ¼ pound print of butter with the edge of a well-chilled teaspoon.

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Two Ships Collide in Mid-Atlantic

No Report Of Any Casualties

LANDS END, England (UP)—The 9,177-ton Dutch ship Waterman, carrying 800 emigrants including 312 Hungarian refugees to Canada, collided with the Italian ship SS Merit in mid-Atlantic today.

The Waterman radioed it was in no immediate danger and said the 7,174-ton steamship Merit also was okay.

The collision happened 566 miles west of the Bishop's Rock Lighthouse in the Scilly Islands, off the southwestern tip of England.

The Air Ministry said a Royal Air Force Shackleton plane was standing by at an airbase near Plymouth, but had not taken off since neither ship appeared to be in immediate danger.

It was reported the collision took place at 5 a.m. EST.

No Casualties Reported

The Waterman, which belongs to the Dutch government, was under charter to the Holland-America Line and left Rotterdam last Monday.

There was no immediate report of any casualties.

Several ships in the Atlantic were reported heading for the collision scene. The sea was mild and the wind about 20 knots.

(In New York, Coast Guard headquarters reported receiving an SOS at 5:12 a.m. and fixing the position as 47.40 Deg. North Latitude and 20 Deg. West Longitude.

(A Coast Guard spokesman said the Waterman radioed again at 5:50 a.m. "Do not need further assistance.")

Brett M. Nordgren, 17, South Bend, Ind., with Wilson cloud chamber for photographing paths of radioactive nuclear particles.

Jonathan D. Glogower, 16, Brooklyn, N. Y.—vapor pressure measurements, analysis.

Susan K. Iknayan, 17, Charleston, Ill.—use of fruit flies to study the structure of cells.

TOPS IN YOUNG SCIENTISTS — Here are the three top winners in the annual Westinghouse Science Talent Search. Brett Nordgren, first place, receives a $2,800 scholarship. Second placer Jonathan Glogower gets a $2,000 scholarship, and alternate second placer Susan Iknayan gets a $400 scholarship. They won with scientific exhibits constructed by themselves.

Delay Hearing Of Man, Wife in Robbery-Slaying

SALEM, Ill. (UP)—The arraignment of a Pennsylvania man and his teen-aged wife charged with the robbery-slaying of an Indiana Marine last Christmas has been postponed until March 27.

Robert Baker, 26, Wormleysburg, Pa., in Cumberland County, and his 17-year-old wife, Trudy Jo, were granted the postponement Wednesday. The couple had previously admitted the fatal shooting of Marine Pvt. Larry M. Kirk, Winslow, Ind.

Kirk's body was found near here last Dec. 26. Baker and his wife were arrested in Prosser, Wash., where they had been honeymooning.

In a previous statement Mrs. Baker said they shot Kirk in the back with a rifle while he was asleep. She said they decided to rob the Marine hitchhiker soon after they picked him up and thought the only way they could do it was to murder him.

Havana

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of them and stormed into the palace.

Eleven of them reached the second floor where the bloodiest part of the fighting took place in front of the door to Batista's office. The President and his family were on the third floor.

Batista said the rebels fired a bullet through his office door and hurled a hand grenade at it. The grenade did not explode.

The President said he kept a 45 in his hand all during the fight "with a bullet in the chamber."

The palace guard called for reinforcements. Some 300 police bringing all the city's 35 prowl cars roared up. The Army sent another 200 soldiers from Camp Columbia with a dozen tanks.

The battle was over two hours after it started.

Police Recheck Leads In Slaying of Child

PHILADELPHIA (UP) — Police rechecking leads in attempts to establish the identity of a boy found dead in a cardboard box almost three weeks ago, were told by a teen-ager Wednesday he saw the body three days before it was discovered.

John Powroznik, 18, a junior high school student, said he saw the battered body of the boy, between four to six years old, during the weekend of Feb. 23-24, but was afraid to tell anyone about it.

Police did not discover the body on a lot in the Northeast section of the city until Feb. 26 after a college student told them he had seen it there the day before and first thought it was a large doll.

Powroznik said he was not sure of the exact day but it was drizzling at the time. Weather Bureau records showed a light rain on Saturday, Feb. 23.

The youth told police he was going to a basketball game when he crossed the lot and saw the body. He became so horrified he ran back home and said nothing about it to his parents.

The Powroznik home had been checked by investigators during a general questioning of all residents of the area but the youth was not at home at the time.

He related his story when the neighborhood was recanvassed by detectives as police started all over again in their quest of the dead boy's identity.

School

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a. m. at Washington School on Tuesday, April 9; Linden, Wednesday, April 10, and Ben Franklin, Thursday, April 11.

Park Plan residents should plan to register children for kindergarten at Ben Franklin School.

School personnel who will help with registration include building principals, first grade and kindergarten teachers, and the school physician, dentist, nurses, phychologist and speech correctionist.

Sinchak

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we (the City) missed the boat when he, as Mayor, could have saved the Rockwell Foundry building from being torn down.

Recently the City traded in our penny parking meters between Fourth and Sixth streets for $10 apiece. New ones cost $65 to $75. A wise idea would have been to store them until future parking places become available in various parts of the City or when future parking lots become available."

Sinchak said he believes the new downtown parking plaza "was improperly located and built 10 years too late."

He stated he will investigate the possibility of returning to penny parking meters.

Sinchak attended local schools and is a graduate of Duquesne University. Following post graduate work at Georgetown University, Sinchak joined his late father in the family real estate business. After his father died, he took over the business. Later he joined with the Mentzer Agency to form the Mentzer & Sinchak Real Estate and Insurance Agency.

Just recently he purchased the Duquesne Hotel in downtown Monessen.

He lives with his wife and three children on Donner avenue.

Businessmen Plead Innocent in Fraud

SCRANTON, Pa. (UP) — Two businessmen pleaded innocent Wednesday to federal grand jury charges of fraud during the construction of the $30-million Tobyhanna (Monroe County) signal corps depot.

John P. Gilboy, of Scranton, whose architect-engineering firm held a contract for plans and specifications on the depot, was indicted last Dec. 6 and again eight days later.

Frederick V. Raff, a Hartford, Conn., contractor, in addition to charges of conspiracy, was indicted on a bribery count in connection with an alleged payment to Gilboy and again for a purported payment to former Congressmen Herbert J. McGlinchey of Philadelphia.

Each made his plea before Federal Judge John W. Murphy.

One of the charges against Gilboy stated he accepted $10,000 from Raff for using his influence as an inspector to obtain approval of work done by Raff's plumbing and heating firm.

McGlinchey and Rep. William J. Green Jr., (D-Pa.) chairman of the Philadelphia Democratic City Committee, were among eight others indicted and scheduled for arraignment in Scranton, March 22.

Gilboy's innocent plea was made after Joseph P. Brennan, his attorney, asked Judge Murphy for permission to study Gilboy's testimony before the federal grand jury.

Brennan also moved to quash the indictment because of what he termed "highly prejudicial and inflammatory publicity" which he claimed deprived Gilboy of his constitutional rights. Judge Murphy reserved decision on the motions.

Raff previously filed motions for dismissal of the indictment. A decision is pending.

Mideast

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uation in the Gaza Strip is "grave."

There still was no official indication Egypt planned to move troops into the Gaza Strip, but several officials pointed out that the 1949 armistice agreement gave her permission to maintain a brigade, or about 3,000 men, in the area.

Diplomatic sources in Cairo said they doubted Egypt would do so now.

The situation may be clarified this weekend when Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold flies to Cairo for talks with President Gamal Abdel Nasser on status of the UNEF on the delays in opening of the Suez Canal.

Many Liquor Licenses Suspended by State

HARRISBURG (UP)—The state Liquor Control Board has revoked the restaurant liquor licenses of these two Millvale, Allegheny County, establishments, effective May 1:

Ralph B. Hagmaier, Greenwood Gardens, 1717 Babcock Blvd., licensee not the only person pecuniarily interested in operation of licensed business in that Louis A. Schindler has an interest therein, licensee concealed his pecuniary interest in the restaurant liquor licenses issued to Albert M. Metz, licensee engaged in another business without the approval of the board, falsification of application for restaurant liquor license for license year which expired April 30, 1956 and for license year which will expire April 30, 1957, licensee named as agent on his wholesale purchase permit card a person not regularly employed in his business or establishment; permitted lewd, immoral and-or improper entertainment, permitted entertainers to contact and-or associate with patrons.

Albert M. Mertz, Lucky's Leisure Bar, 621 Evergreen Ave., licensee not the only person in any manner pecuniarily interested in the operation of licensed business in that it is owned by Ralph B. Hagmaier, licensee perpetrated a fraud upon the Liquor Control Board in that the interest of Ralph B. Hagmaier in the licensed establishment was concealed when the application for transfer of this license to himself was made, falsification of application for license year which expired April 30, 1956 and license year which will expire April 30, 1957, failed to keep complete and truthful records for a period of at least two years.

The board also suspended the licenses of these establishments effective April 5:

Cecilia E. Thomas, Ceal's Bar and Grill, 1026 Parade St., Erie, 20 days, permitted minors to frequent and sales to minors; Vittorio E. Berardi, Chestnut Hotel, 230-230½ Chestnut Ave., Altoona, 60 days, sales to visibly intoxicated persons, sales between 2 a.m. and 7 a.m., Sunday sales, credit sales, permitted gambling; Polish Falcon Society, 604-610 Jackson St., Gallitzin, 20 days, sales to non-members; Mary P. Sylvester, West End Hotel, 324 Chestnut St., Gallitzin, 30 days, sales to visibly intoxicated persons, permitted minors to frequent violation of barmaid law, permitted an employe to contact and-or associate with patrons; Bakerton Athletic Association, Elmora, 20 days, disorderly operation, sales to non-members; John W. and Stella V. Davis, Creekside Tavern 420 Market St., Extension Bolivar, 15 days, permitted minors to frequent, sales to minors, failed to keep complete and truthful records, failed to keep a record showing the method used and date of each cleaning of coils, tap rods and connections used in drawing malt or brewed beverages, not a bona fide restaurant habitually and principally used to provide food for the public in that there were insufficient chairs at tables to accommodate at least 30 persons at one time; Gust Hnaras and John Anetakis, Palace Restaurant, 38 N. Pennsylvania Ave., Greensburg, 20 days, sales between 2 a.m. and 7 a.m., violation of barmaid law, permitted gambling; Alexander G. Silagyi, Al's Olace, 340 Market St., Kittanning, 20 days, permitted gambling; Scoieta Umberto Primo, 110 Division St., New Castle, 60 days, permitted gambling; P. DiCerbo and Anthony D. DeCarbo, New Lunch, 314 E. Long Ave., New Castle, 20 days, sales to visibly intoxicated persons; Independent Club of Bentleyville, 922 Main St., Bentleyville, 20 days, sales to non-members, permitted gambling.

Bribery

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filch documents from its files on its sensational investigation of the Teamsters Union.

The FBI said Cheasty, who cooperated with the committee and FBI from the start, actually received payments of $1,000 and $2,000 from Hoffa.

A committee spokesman said Fischbach — scheduled to be arraigned today in Miami — was the "original contact" man between Cheasty and Hoffa. Fischbach, a Miami attorney, was counsel for a special House subcommittee set up in 1950 to investigate crime in the District of Columbia.

Rackets Committee Chairman John L. McClellan (D-Ark) said Hoffa's alleged activities are "clearly an indication of the steps that gangster elements are undertaking and will continue to undertake to hinder, hamper, obstruct and destroy," the rackets investigation.

Sen. Karl E. Mundt (R-SD), a committee member, said Hoffa, on the basis of the charge against him, "has really got himself caught in a crime that is apt to put him right in the big house; if he got caught red-handed with stolen documents, he's really headed for serious trouble."

Mundt said, "with one set of Teamster officials on the West Coast destroying union records, and another set in the Midwest trying to steal committee records, it is time this union should learn that the goon squad methods it applies to its members don't work on the United States Government."

Labor May Investigate

The arrests sent a powerful shock throughout organized labor. Hoffa, midwest czar of the 1.4 million-man Teamsters Union, is heir apparent to President Dave Beck.

A highly-placed AFL-CIO source said the Teamsters Union now is almost certain to be haled before the AFL-CIO Ethical Practices Committee.

The official said there was "no question" the Hoffa case would give labor a black eye.

Beck said in Seattle, Wash., that he could "scarcely bring" himself to believe Hoffa was charged with bribing a Senate investigator.

Hoffa's 15-year-old son, James Phillip, said "this is terrible" early today when told his father had been arrested.

The new Federal Courthouse when Hoffa arrived for arraignment after 1 a.m. today shone bleakly in the light of photographers' flood lamps.

Hoffa, 44-year-old 5-foot-5 boss of a mid-American labor empire, stood meekly before Commissioner Splain in a natty brown suit.

Splain ordered a hearing in two weeks and set bond at $25,000, which was posted by a professional bondsman.

Dulles Ends Parley

CANBERRA, Australia (UP)—Secretary of State John Foster Dulles left today for the United States after attending the four-day conference here of the Southeast Asia Treaty Organization.

Blind Housewife Recognizes Voice Of Housebreaker

PITTSBURGH (UP)— A totally-blind housewife identified a housebreaker Wednesday with whom her husband had battled in the dark.

Mrs. Joseph McMasters, 32, her husband and her seeing-eye dog, "Spats" were awakened before dawn by someone breaking into their eighth-floor apartment from a balcony.

McMasters a manufacturer's representative, grappled with the intruder in the dark, but he escaped.

Mrs. McMasters, who has been blind for three years, told police she believed the voice of the housebreaker was that of one of two men she had heard speak previously.

She gave police the names of two men. The first suspect was eliminated.

Officers then went to the home of James Lose, 27, a cab driver and engineering student at the University of Pittsburgh. Lose had a bruised eye and was wearing a torn shirt. He was hauled into morals court for a hearing.

Mrs. McMasters listened carefully as Lose spoke and said:

"That is the man. I recognize his voice."

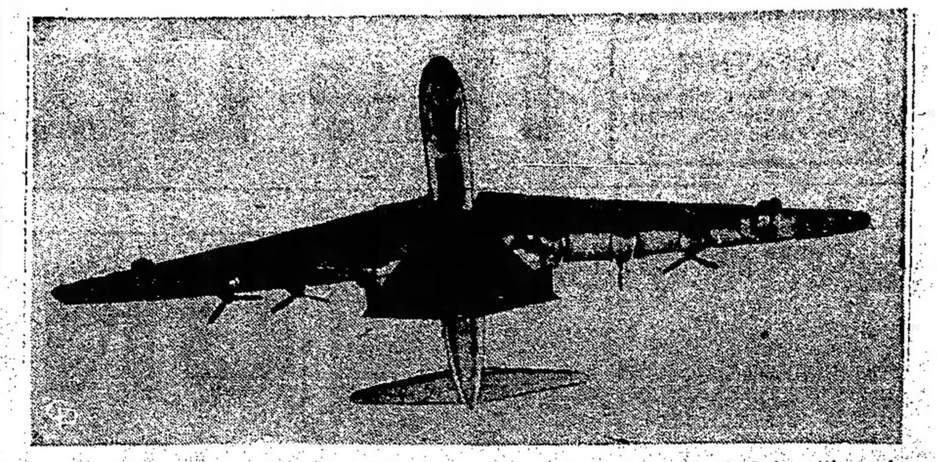
Lose confessed.

"Yes, I was there," he said. "I was horribly drunk. All I wanted was someone to talk to."

Magistrate E. N. Johnson ordered Lose held for grand jury action.

Duchess' Mother Dies

LONDON (UP)—Princess Nicholas, 75, mother of the Duchess of Kent, died today in Athens, Buckingham Palace announced. The Duchess of Kent flew to Athens Wednesday on a visit.



GOING FOR AN AERIAL 'KANGAROO RIDE' — World's fastest bomber, the B-58, is getting a free ride in the bomb bay of the world's largest bomber, a B36. The "kangaroo-type" ride went from Fort Worth, Tex., to Dayton, O. The B-58, minus its jet engines and other equipment, is tucked into the bomb bay.

Shirley Is Released from Jail; Superior Court to Study Case

PITTSBURGH (UP) — Shirley Cavanaugh, 28, Pittsburgh nightlife figure who landed in jail when she became involved in the wounding of a police lieutenant, was ordered released on bond today until the state Superior Court reviews her case.

Superior Court Judge Blair F. Gunther granted a supersedeas staying all proceedings in Miss Cavanaugh's case, including her commitment to a women's prison, until his court hears her appeals here April 8.

The woman was picked up and charged with assault with intent to kill following the wounding of Lt. Allen Carnahan, the head of the city's vice and narcotics squad, who was shot as he sat in an after-hours drinking club on the morning of Feb. 24.

She was freed on bond on the shooting charge, but Allegheny County Common Pleas Court Judge Harry M. Montgomery revoked a probation he had imposed on a three - year - old burglary charge and ordered her committed to the state Industrial School for Women at Muncy.

Judge Montgomery refused a writ of habeas corpus petition and also refused to permit Shirley to withdraw her plea of guilty in the burglary case so that she might stand trial by jury. Shirley's attorney, John V. Snee, asked the Superior Court to reverse both rulings.

The wounding of Carnahan touched off a full - scale departmental investigation of the case, including reports that officials of the police force had endeavored to "cover up" the facts.

Carnahan at first said he had shot himself while transferring his service pistol from one pocket to another. Later, he said Shirley grabbed his pistol as he sat at the club bar and shot him.

In his final statement to investigators, he again changed his story to say that he was shot accidentally as he and Shirley struggled for the gun.

OBITUARY

MRS. BERTHA BOOTH

Funeral services for Mrs. Bertha Booth, 57, of Jacobs Creek, were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from Barthel's Funeral Home, in Smithton. Interment was in Mt. Vernon Cemetery.

Mrs. Booth, a life-long resident of Jacobs Creek, died Monday in McKeesport Hospital. She was born Aug. 23, 1899.

Surviving are her husband, Franklin Booth; a daughter, Mrs. Bertha Rauth, of Van Meter; a son, Carl Werner, of Washington, C. D.; three sisters, Mrs. Mary Garenia, of Jacobs Creek, Mrs. Julia Krobat, of McKees Rocks and Mrs. Cecilia Albright, of Lake Lynn and six grandchildren.

Fayette Man Is Burned in Fire

UNIONTOWN, Pa. (UP)—James Cuciti, 69, of nearby New Salem, burned to death Wednesday night when a grass fire he had started got out of control and encircled him.

Cuciti had started the fire in his garden to clear it of weeds. A stiff wind whipped it out of control and he tried to beat out the flames as they encircled him.

His wife, Italia, 48, heard his cries and ran through the flames to his aid, but was unable to carry him out. Cuciti was pronounced dead on arrival at Uniontown Hospital. His wife was treated at the hospital for burns.

At Least She Held Everyone's Attention

LONDON (UP)—An unemployed young blonde actress rode into Piccadilly Circus Wednesday wearing only a pair of shorts in protest against Britain's entertainment tax.

'I decided that for my last performance I would make them take notice," Geraldine Haigh, 22, said. "Lady Godiva did it to stop an unfair tax and so did I."

The tax has discouraged theater patrons and closed many theaters, including the one in which Miss Haigh worked.

Byrd's Body Is Brought Home To Virginia

WASHINGTON (UP) — Rear Adm. Richard Evelyn Byrd, his great explorations ended forever, was brought home to his native Virginia today for burial among the nation's heroes.

The last resting place for the renowned conqueror of the poles and spanner of the oceans was a quiet plot on the eastern slope of Arlington National Cemetery.

Byrd, the first man to fly over both the North and South Poles, was called "one of the truly great explorers of all time" by President Eisenhower. Byrd died in his sleep Monday night at the age of 68, the victim of a heart ailment brought on by years of work and adventure in the far away frozen lands that he made familiar to every man.

In Boston Wednesday night, Byrd's remains were placed aboard a train to Washington.

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Contralto Is Big Success Despite Empty Seats

Despite the obstacle of a half-empty house, the Monessen-Belle Vernon Civic Music Association closed its fifth annual season last evening as a complete artistic success.

Claramae Turner, contralto, did not permit the noticeable absenteeism of Civic Music members to dim her remarkable vocal and dramatic talents, and those who attended were rewarded with a distinguished performance.

Miss Turner sang a difficult program but one which had sustained interest throughout. She has a voice of wide range and intense power, but she employs both with discriminating control.

In the well known American folk song, "Black Is the Color of My True Love's Hair", for example, Miss Turner managed the extended pauses to give an effect of sincere tenderness. The same sensitivity was heard in a group of German lieder, the most noteworthy being the "Ruhe Meine Seele" of Richard Strauss.

Aria Is Highlight

It was in the aria, "Les Lettres", of Massenet's opera, "Werther", that Miss Turner first displayed the versatility which singers of the first order must possess. And this was perhaps the highlight of the program.

The only other operatic selection on the regular list was the aria from Menotti's modern opera, "The Medium", of which Miss Turner created the title role of Madame Flora. This was a kind of set-piece of the program which was not of real interest even though the artist did it full justice.

The audience obviously much preferred Miss Turner's "Habanera" from Carmen, which she did as an encore, appending to it the "Carmen Jones" version.

Miss Turner concluded with an interesting group of short pieces, including the Negro spiritual, "Witness", which she substituted for the more familiar, "Roll Jordan Roll".

Among her generous encores was the sparkling tune, "June Is Busting Out All Over", from the Rodgers - Hammerstein musical, "Carousel", in the film version of which Miss Turner appears as Cousin Nettie. The response to this suggested that Miss Turner ought to include it in her regular program since she is among those artists who give great weight to the wishes of the customers.

Should Share Cards

It is not an easy task, even for a mature performer, to do his best before empty seats, and not the least of Miss Turner's achievements last evening was the fine manner in which she surmounted this difficulty.

For the good of the cause, Civic Music members, when they cannot attend a program should try to put their cards in the hands of others. It seems unnecessarily wasteful of precious talent not to do so.

Miss Turner was accompanied at the piano by Leila Edwards.

Civic Music offered its members four outstanding programs this season. Preceding Miss Turner were the Vienna String Symphony, Pianist Stan Freeman and the Singing Boys of Norway.

The annual membership campaign will be held again next fall.

State to Build New Bridge Over The Youghiogheny

HARRISBURG (UP)—The state Highways Department today had authority to reconstruct a bridge which carries Crawford Ave. over Baltimore & Ohio Railroad tracks and the Youghiogheny River in Connellsville, Fayette County.

The department said it would cost an estimated $610,000 to rebuild the span by adding a 26-foot wide concrete roadway, five-foot sidewalks on each side and new steel girders on the superstructure.

The Public Utility Commission, which authorized rebuilding, said the substructure of the span was sound but the top has deteriorated.

The PUC said the Highways Department will pay a major portion of the cost with the railroad and Fayette County each contributing $25,000 and Connellsville, $5,000.

The commission said a $3,450 lighting system will be installed with the city and West Penn Power Co., Pittsburgh, sharing costs. The Bell Telephone Co. will spend $48,000 to relocate its lines. The work was ordered completed by March 1, 1960.

Nixon's Plane Has Trouble

TRIPOLI, Libea (UP)—A plane carrying Vice President Richard M. Nixon from Khartoum to Tobruk was forced to return to Khartoum today when trouble developed in one of the engines.

A radio message said the plane returned 90 minutes after takeoff from Khartoum because of "partial failure" of the No. 2 engine.

An announcement said the vice president's brief visit to Tobruk would be cancelled and that Nixon would fly direct to Tripoli after engine repairs are made or another plane is flown in for him.

Plans call for him to fly to Rome Saturday for a weekend audience with Pope Pius XII. On Monday he flies to Tunisia and then home, arriving in Washington a week from today.

Charleroi-Monessen Hospital Register

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ADMISSIONS

Monessen — Frank Heilman, Mrs. Nick Paneris, Mrs. Joseph Bajanek, Nick Corry, Mrs. John Falibota; **Belle Vernon** — Mrs. Paul Comadena, Thomas Lancaster, Mrs. Robert Propes; **Charleroi** — Mrs. Sam Marracini, John Pivobarnik, Floyd Giles, Forrester Houdyshell; **Dunlevy** — Mrs. Christopher Manos; **Allenport** — Mrs. Chris Koussonmbus; **Donora** — Joseph Pulgini, Mrs. Dominic Vince, Mrs. Palmrosa Pulgini; **Perryopolis** — Ronald Harshman; **Mt. Lebanon** — John Plummer; **Stockdale** — Bradley Krivacek, Mrs. John Kaschock; **Bentleyville** — Mrs. Samuel Harris.

DISCHARGES

Monessen — Mrs. John Bryndza, Leonard Chan, Mrs. Carl Hupchick, Mrs. Vernon Smith; **Belle Vernon** — Mrs. William Taylor, Mrs. James White, Jack Longnecker, Harold Strenske, Mrs. Leonard Wasko; **Fayette City** — Mrs. William Nutt; **Donora** — Joseph Hubay, Sr.; **Bentleyville** — Antonio Filipelli; **Pricedale** — John Larson; **Stockdale** — Danny Milchovich; **Charleroi** — Mrs. T. C. Montgomery; **North Charleroi** — Mrs. John Godisart; **Perryopolis** — James Martin.

Ike's Duties Go With Him

WASHINGTON (UP)— Contrary to some beliefs, there will be no acting president while President Eisenhower is away.

The President is the Chief Executive wherever he is. He cannot hand over his responsibility to anyone. The office of president follows him wherever he goes. The cruiser Canberra will be the official "White House" from the moment Mr. Eisenhower steps aboard it tonight until he steps off in Bermuda next Wednesday.

Only in event of the President's death, removal, resignation or inability to perform his duties would Vice President Richard M. Nixon take over the reins of the presidency.

NOMINATED FOR TV 'EMMY' AWARDS — Here are nominees in the main categories for the Television academy's annual "emmy" awards, TV's equivalent of Hollywood's "Oscars." Saturday is the date. Among former winners are those whose photos are shown. Main categories include best continuing performance by an actor, best by an actress; best single performance, actor, actress; similar awards in comedy field.

Lie Detectors May Be Used In Testimony at Erie Probe

HARRISBURG (UP) — Conflicting testimony by Erie Mayor Arthur J. Gardner and a former Erie newspaper editor in the legislative investigation of the state Pardons Board may result in the use of lie detectors to determine "who is telling the truth."

Mayor Gardner, appearing at the committee hearing here Wednesday, contradicted previous testimony by Harold J. Sullivan, former editor of the Erie Times and now assistant secretary of the state Senate.

Sullivan testified two weeks ago that Gov. George M. Leader checked with Gardner before granting a commutation of sentence in 1955 to former Erie Mayor Thomas J. Flatley, who was jailed in 1954 for accepting bribes.

Sullivan told the committee the day after the November, 1955 elections he received a phone call from Gardner and that Gardner asked him his opinion as to community feeling in Flatley's case. Sullivan said the mayor told him Leader called primarily to congratulate him on his election, and then asked him to find out what would be the public's reaction to Flatley's release. Both the governor and Gardner denied making the calls.

When Gardner flatly denied Sullivan's statement, committee member Rep. Clarence D. Bell (R-Delaware) requested that the two men submit to a lie detector test "so that we can determine who is telling the truth."

Asked if he would volunteer to take the test, Sullivan replied: "Positively, although I don't believe they are absolutely infallible."

Names Witness

Gardner indicated Wednesday that he had evidence implicating Sullivan in the same bribe scandal which sent Flatley, police inspector John J. Martin, and 16 others to jail.

Gardner told the committee he spoke last Monday night with Stanley Swartz, Flatley's campaign manager who also was convicted on bribe charges. Gardner said Swartz told him he had evidence of purchases made by Sullivan with bribe money. Swartz was reported to have said Sullivan bought a television set, rugs and tile flooring for his home with the money.

Sullivan, who returned to testify at his own request, denied that he had ever received "either money or goods" from anyone connected with the bribe scandal. However, under questioning he admitted that Flatley paid $100 on a television set he bought in 1950.

He said that wall-to-wall carpeting and the bathroom tile installed in his home about the same time was purchased by his wife and is still being paid for on time payments.

It was not known today whether or not the mayor would bring his charges to the Erie County District Attorney's office.

Also testifying were Erie County Judges Elmer L. Evans and Burton R. Laub. Both jurists recommended reconstituting the board to provide full time members "appointed for a sufficient length of time to remove them from political influence."

Judge Laub recommended that a special force be authorized for the board to investigate petitions for pardons and commutations before the arguments are presented at public hearings. Legislation similar in intent was introduced in the Legislature by Sen. Israel Stiefel (D-Philadelphia) this week.

Both men, however, said they had no evidence of "political considerations" influencing the board's recommendations.

In earlier testimony, Pardons Board Secretary Frank R. Hean said that Cong. William A. Barrett, Philadelphia Democrat, requested a commutation hearing be moved up for Philip L. Mollica, convicted slayer who was serving a life term.

Committee counsel David Kohn said a year had not elapsed between the time Mollica was denied a previous plea and the time he was given a new hearing, as stipulated by board regulations.

Mollica had his sentence commuted to slightly over 11 years over the objections of Judge Vincent A. Carroll, one of the sentencing judges.

Hean produced correspondence from Barrett in which the congressman asked for "special consideration" in the plea to move the hearing up to the board's September, 1955 meeting, instead of scheduling it for the following month.

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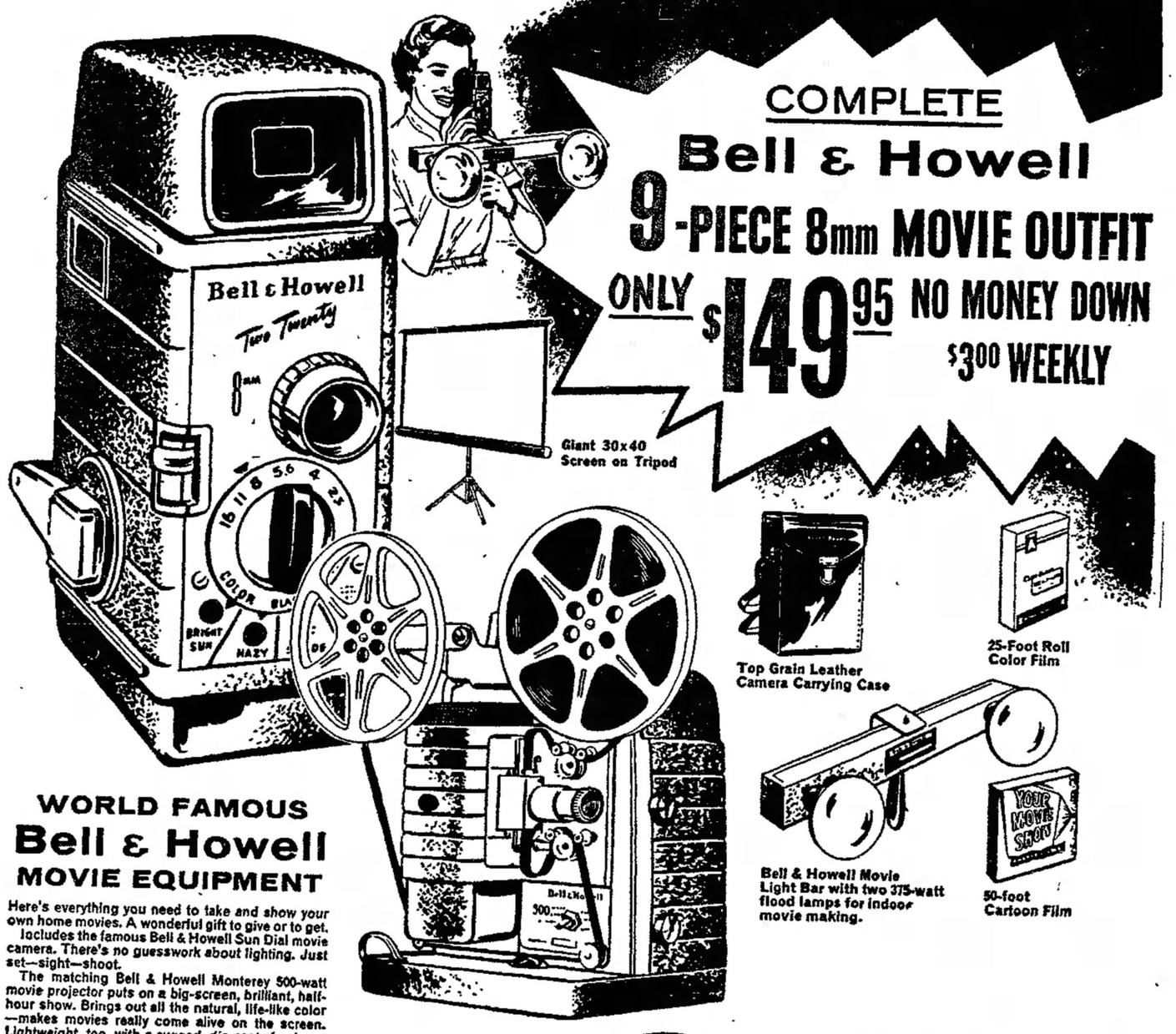

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Democratic Women in State Applaud Gavin

WASHINGTON (UP)—A group of 635 Democratic women from Pennsylvania applauded so vigorously in the House gallery Wednesday they drew a reminder from the acting speaker that gallery demonstrations are banned.

The outburst came during a speech by Rep. Leon H. Gavin (R-Pa) in which he labeled Harold E. Stassen a carpet-bagger. Gavin, of Oil City, was commenting on reports that Stassen, now disarmament advisor to President Eisenhower, would seek the GOP nomination for governor of Pennsylvania.

"For his own sake I would advise him to reconsider," Gavin said. "We do not have to go outside the state to find qualified candidates for the high office of governor."

Rep. Melvin Price (D-Ill) rebuked the visitors, members of the Pennsylvania Democratic Women's Clubs. The women were in Washington to visit their congressmen and to present a check for $1,000 to the Democratic National Committee.

Gavin's speech was interrupted by Rep. Noah M. Mason (R-Ill), who asked if the Pennsylvania congressman would consider Stassen a carpet-bagger in event he sought the Pennsylvania governorship.

"Why certainly," replied Gavin. "I wonder why he doesn't go back home and run again in Minnesota."

Stassen served several terms as Minnesota governor before moving to Philadelphia, where he became president of the University of Pennsylvania.

Youth to Tell of European Trip

Jack Bergstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Bergstein, will tell of his trip last summer to Europe at the 9:15 evening services tomorrow at Kneseth Israel Synagogue.

Prior to his talk, Rabbi Theodore Stampfer will lead prayers in Hebrew and English.

Another Earthquake

NEW YORK (UP)—The Lamont geological observatory at Columbia University reported today a severe earthquake in the vicinity of the Aleutian Islands.

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Irish Potatoes Are Used In New Chocolate Cake

BY EDITH M. BARBER

There will be wearing of the green next Sunday when all good Irishmen and their descendants pay tribute to Saint Patrick, the patron saint of their small native country.

Edith Barber

Although Ireland is not the original home of the white potato, it has become so closely associated with it that this staple vegetable is generally known as the Irish potato. It was not until some time after the discovery of America that this product of the New World was introduced in the British Isles. It was not long before it became the mainstay of the Irish diet and later, when the failure of grain crops reduced the country almost to starvation, the potato became its savior.

Irish immigrants to New England are given the credit for introducing potato growing to North America. Potatoes were soon considered a natural accompaniment to a meal, and remain so even today when we have a choice of so many foods.

We serve potatoes in dozens of ways at the main course of the meal. A new use for them has been created in honor of Saint Patrick's Day. A delicious fudge cake, the recipe for which calls for grated raw potatoes in addition to flour, keeps moist for some time, longer than usual, with this addition.

Mashed potatoes are an ingredient of a good uncooked fudge frosting. You will like both of these recipes if you are fond of the flavor of chocolate both in cake and frosting. A vanilla-flavored white frosting, however, furnishes contrast both in color and flavor.

Just to prove that this is a Saint Patrick's Day cake, there may be a garnish of a green shamrock by adding a drop or two of green coloring to the white frosting.

IRISH POTATO FUDGE CAKE

1-3 cup butter or margarine
2 squares unsweetened chocolate
1-3 cup mashed potatoes
⅛ teaspoon salt
1½ teaspoons pure vanilla extract
3 cups sifted confectioners' sugar
2 tablespoons milk

Melt butter or margarine in a sauce pan. Cook until lightly browned. Add chocolate and stir until melted. Stir in mashed potatoes, salt and pure vanilla extract. Mix well. Gradually blend in confectioners' sugar along with milk, beating after each addition. Spread over tops and sides of two 9 x 9 x 2 inch cake layers.

BUCKWHEAT PANCAKES

½ cup package dry yeast
½ cup lukewarm water
1 ½ cups lukewarm milk
½ teaspoon salt
½ cup flour
1 ½ cups buckwheat flour
1 tablespoon molasses
¼ teaspoon baking soda
¼ cup lukewarm water
¼ cup liquid or melted shortening

Sprinkle dry yeast over ½ cup lukewarm water, and let stand about 10 minutes. Stir well and add lukewarm milk. Add salt and flour, beating until smooth. Cover and let rise overnight. Before baking, add molasses and soda dissolved in ¼ cup lukewarm water, and the shortening. Add more milk, if necessary. Bake on both sides on ungreased hot griddle. Save ½ cup batter to raise another mixture instead of using yeast. Yield: about 18 pancakes.

YOUR FOOD PROBLEM

By Edith M. Barber

CELEBRATE SAINT PAT'S DAY — With a rich, velvety fudge cake made with that versatile Irish "import," the white potato. Grated potatoes go into the cake; mashed, into the frosting. And there won't be a crumb left!

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2 ¼ cups sifted cake flour
2¼ teaspoons double-acting baking powder
¾ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon ground allspice
½ teaspoon ground cloves
½ teaspoon ground cinnamon
1 cup shortening
2 cups sugar
2 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted
1 cup grated raw potatoes
1 ½ teaspoons pure vanilla extract
½ cup chopped almonds
4 eggs
½ cup milk

Sift first 6 ingredients together and set aside to use later. Cream shortening and sugar together. Blend in chocolate. Add potatoes and pure vanilla extract and almonds. Beat in eggs, one at a time. Add flour mixture alternately with milk. Beat batter ½ minute. Turn into two well-greased inch baking pans. Bake in a preheated moderate over (375oF.) 35 minutes or until done. Cool in pans 10 minutes. Turn out onto wire rack. When cold, frost with Irish potato fudge frosting. Yield: 16 to 18 servings.

Vichyssoise Can Be Served Either Hot or Cold

"Is Vichyssoise ever served hot?" This question came from a reader recently. She went on to say she loves the flavor of this soup and, although it seems to be popular the year around at certain restaurants, she likes a hot soup in cold weather.

There is no reason why Vichyssoise cannot be served hot. In fact the cold service originated in this country, although the recipe for the soup comes from abroad. Actually, it is merely a glorified potato soup. If leeks are not available, mild onions may replace them.

One may also omit sieving the vegetables. In this case, it might be called a chowder. This has body enough for a luncheon or supper special. Add leftover cooked fish or canned tuna for a delicious fish chowder.

If there is leftover chicken stock or a can of consomme, the bouillon cubes may be replaced and the soup may be even better. If chives are not in the market, minced parsley may be used as a topping.

Heated crackers, either small or large, belong with Vichyssoise unless you prefer Melba toast, easily prepared in your oven. If this is purchased, the toast should be reheated.

HOT VICHYSSOISE

1 ½ cups minced leeks, using white portion only
½ cup minced onion
2 tablespoons butter or margarine
4 chicken bouillon cubes
3 cups boiling water
1 tablespoon chopped parsley
¼ cup chopped celery
2 cups thinly sliced potatoes
½ cup thinly sliced carrots
1 cup heavy cream
1 teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon white pepper
2 tablespoons chopped chives

Saute leeks and onions in butter or margarine until transparent, but not brown. Dissolve bouillon cubes in hot water and add to onions. Stir in parsley, celery, potatoes and carrots. Cover and simmer until vegetables are tender. Put mixture through a fine sieve. Stir in heavy cream, salt and white pepper. Heat and serve at once. Sprinkle with chopped chives. Yield: 5 servings.

Tempting Meals During Lent

In days of old, the Lenten period called for complete abstinence from meat. This must have been a real hardship when other foods were so limited in number. It is no wonder sailing vessels undertook long voyages to bring back a supply of fish.

In these modern days it is essential to continue eating this valuable protein food. Many persons abstain on Wednesday as well as on Friday, but substitute fish, eggs or cheese for a main dish at dinner. Few mainly for economic reasons, serve meat on the table more than once a day unless making use of leftovers.

As a Lenten practice, it is quite common to eliminate rich desserts for the period. Instead use more fruit and some of the simpler desserts such as custards and rice pudding. Supply plenty of vegetables and salads.

It is just as important to offer tempting meals in Lent as at any other season. Particular care should be used when preparing and serving fish. Wedges or slices of melon make an attractive garnish and, at the same time, improve the flavor of either broiled or sauted fish.

QUICK MEAL

Fish fillets with mushrooms; Potato chips; Spinach; Cabbage salad; Canned peaches; Coffee.

FISH FILLETS WITH MUSHROOMS

1½ to 2 pounds fish fillets
¾ cup sweet or sour cream
1 teaspoon salt
⅛ teaspoon pepper
1 teaspoon paprika
1 cup (¼ pound) sliced mushrooms
2 tablespoons sliced onions or minced chives

Arrange fillets on greased ovenproof platter and pour cream over them. Sprinkle with seasonings, mushrooms and onions or chives. Bake in hot oven (450 degree F.) about 10 minutes, until fish flakes when tried with a fork. Yield: 6 servings.

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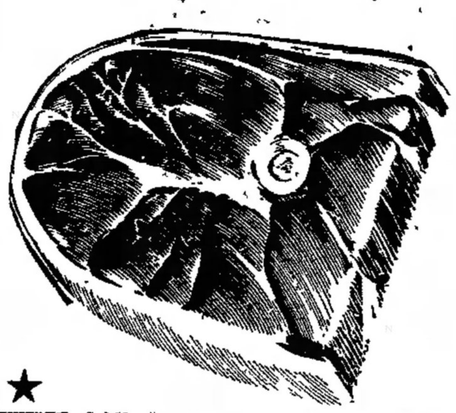

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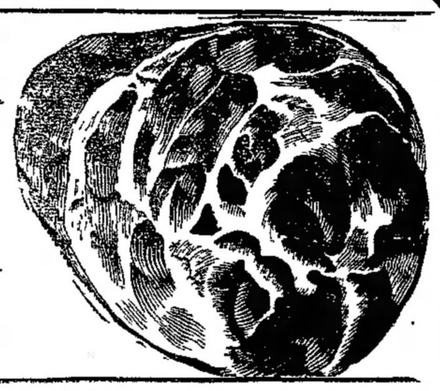

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Editorials—

Collection of Sales Tax Is Bungled

WHEN Governor Leader asked a private firm of management experts to study the administration, and collection of the state sales tax and give him a report, it is doubtful if he expected quite as bluntly critical an analysis as he has now received.

The gist of the findings by McKinsey & Co., of Washington, D. C., after a detailed investigation is that the administration of the sales tax has been sadly bungled from the top down.

At the top, for example, the experts found that the field office directors have shown an "inability . . . effectively to lay out the work to be done, to recruit and train a competent staff, to obtain needed supplies promptly and, hence, to get the bureau's work done".

And right down the line of the organization established to collect the tax incompetence and neglect of duty has been the rule rather than the exception, according to the experts. Part of the inefficiency has been due, the report says, to inadequate training, but much of it is attributed to the fact that many of the collectors and inspectors have had "extraneous interests and responsibilities".

What the experts have tried to say as politely as possible is that the Leader administration has made a routine political football out of what should have been a carefully planned and expertly administered new tax program. And the result of this has been a shockingly ineffective collection of the tax. It is estimated that, entirely due to this sloppy, political administration, the state has lost upwards of $100 million of much-needed revenue.

This report gives the Governor and his associates a terrific black eye. And we should think some immediate explanation is due the public, followed by prompt correction of the laxities.

McKinsey & Co. say that, about the time their inquiry began, the performance of the Sales and Use Tax Bureau began to improve. And simultaneously the revenue has been increasing each month.

But with Pennsylvania's fiscal problems as serious as they are, including the apparent need for more and more tax revenue, it is most disheartening to hear of the administration's failure properly to collect a new broad-based tax levied by the legislature after a long and exhausting controversy. Whether Governor Leader and his colleagues liked the sales tax or not, they had a most serious obligation, once it was enacted, to administer it efficiently to produce the maximum revenue.

Men of Decision

WE HOPE the City Council of Monessen goes to work promptly on its promised study of the question of fluoridation of the water supplied to Monessen and other communities by the Authority of the Borough of Charleroi. The Junior Women's Club has formally requested the Council to recommend fluoridation to the Authority.

Similar requests no doubt will be made of the governing bodies of the other communities concerned, including Charleroi, North Charleroi, Speers and Donora. And we trust the consideration will be thorough and prompt in all cases.

There is opposition to fluoridation, so it probably could be regarded as a controversial issue. And elected public officials as a rule prefer to treat such issues more or less gingerly.

But nobody will study the fluoridation "controversy" very long before he discovers that the weight of experience, research and qualified scientific judgment is all on the side of fluoridation. And that the opposition is a rather flimsy compound of poorly reasoned fears and indiscriminate prejudice against "medicine" in all forms.

Here is a case where the progressive public official must have the courage to do what is right, no matter how loud the objections. If we had not had such officials in the past, we would not have had compulsory vaccination or even compulsory education; we would not have had stringent sanitation laws; and we would not have had a host of other public health measures now accepted as both vital and routine.

A means has now been found to protect children against one of man's most common and costly ailments — tooth decay. But whether the community can have the benefit of this discovery now depends on the willingness of elected officials to stand up to a small but vocal opposition and accept the considered judgment of all the qualified authorities in the field. We must hope that they do not fail.

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Merry-Go-Round—

Drinking in U.S. Buildings Is Problem

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON — Two plush cocktail parties in the Senate office Building have raised the question of drinking in government buildings — a question which has been debated pro and con ever since Daniel Webster used to appear inebriated on the Senate floor.

Mr. Pearson

The question happens to be a bipartisan one, since both President Eisenhower and Adlai Stevenson attended the cocktail parties in question — one for ex-Chairman Len Hall, Republican, last week; the other for new Sen. Joseph Clark, Democrat of Philadelphia earlier.

There was a time when the Methodist Board of Temperance and Social Service, of which the late Bishop James Cannon was the crusading chairman, kept an eagle eye on Capitol Hill drinking. As a partial result, the Senate does not permit even beer to be served in its dining room. The House does permit beer, but nothing stronger.

In other government buildings there are regulations against the serving of liquor, though around Christmastime officials diligently look the other way.

But on Capitol Hill, which has its own police, the solons have made their own rules. They date back to 1837 when Congress voted to banish the official bar from the halls of Congress, chiefly because Daniel Webster and Henry Clay spent most of their time there.

Plush GOP Bar

About the time the official bar was banished from the Capitol the ring of saloons that surrounded the Capitol also was dried up, including Pendleton's famous House of Fortune. In those days there was one saloon to every 90 people in the city. But all bars were abolished from around the Senate and House and remained banished.

The first real dent in this taboo on bars neaf the Capitol building came immediately after Eisenhower was elected. Some of the most distinguished leaders of the Republican party set up the Capitol Hill Club at that time, just across the street from the House of Representatives where a thirsty solon could slip across and get a quick snifter.

The bar was located in the former home of ex-Congressman Charley Dewey of Chicago, and such GOP leaders as John Foster Dulles, Clare Boothe Luce, ex-Secretary of War Pat Hurley, and Sen. Frank Carlson from the once very dry state of Kansas, each kicked in $500 to get the club going.

The GOP bar aroused a furor among Washington clergymen partly because it was the first bar near the Capitol since 1837, partly because the GOPeers pulled wires to get their place licensed. A license for a package store had just been vetoed right next door to the GOP club, despite which Republican leaders overruled all precedent and wangled an "on-the-premises" drinking license. They even got the DC law waived regarding the fingerprinting of the license owners. The distinguished Republicans who applied for the license didn't want to be fingerprinted, so the law was ignored.

Now, as a result of the two open super-duper cocktail parties, one Democratic and one Republican, held in the Senate Office Building, Washington drys and clergy are up in arms. You're sure to hear a lot more demand that the Capitol go back to the laws of 1837.

Fickle Dick

Vice President Nixon's ballyhoo over the new state on the African Gold Coast and his tour of Africa are having repercussions among our so-called Good Neighbors. Some of them now call themselves "Neglected Neighbors."

When Latin Americans read about the big hurrah given the new state of Ghana, they can't help wondering what this newfound American love for Africa is going to do to the tropical products which Latin America has been shipping the United States, but which are now being increasingly shelved by the near-slave labor of Africa.

Take cocoa and chocolate. This is the chief, almost the sole export of Ecuador. It's also a big export of Brazil. Shortly before World War I, however, the British started growing cocoa in the African Gold Coast, now Ghana, until today Ghana is the world's chief cocoa producer. This was accomplished not because the cocoa bean of Africa was any better — actually it was imported from Ecuador-dominated cartels.

Cheap Negro labor has made Africa an easier target for Communism today, which is one reason Nixon is frantically wooing the Africans to stay out of the Soviet bloc.

Meanwhile, Latin America went through its social revolution, enjoys higher wages, and is thumbing its nose at the Soviet bloc. Sixteen Latin American countries have severed relations with Moscow. They don't even speak. So we don't have to woo them to keep out of the Soviet bloc. Nevertheless, they resent our fickleness.

Drilling for Oil

From Washington—

Where Soviet Policy Stands

By ROSCOE DRUMMOND

Is any real headway being made toward easing the tensions between the Soviet Union and the West, and, if not, what are the prospects?

That is the over-riding question in Washington.

Mr. Drummond

The answer to this question requires an answer to other questions: where does "de-Stalinization" begin and where does it stop? What effect is it having on Soviet policy within its borders, in its policy toward the satellites and toward the free world?

In light of the record since the Khrushchev anti-Stalin speech, in light of the Polish and Hungarian revolutions and Soviet maneuvers in the Middle East, U. S. officials have reached pretty firm conclusions as to the shape of Kremlin policy as far ahead as anyone dare foresee. There is nothing on the horizon justifying any optimism. The consensus on the main points is this:

On Internal De-Stalinization — De-Stalinization was never intended for export. Bear in mind that the text of the Khrushchev speech was not disclosed by the Kremlin, but by the U. S. government. De-Stalinization — which began with the death of Stalin, not with the Khrushchev speech — was designed to reduce the danger of mutual blood-letting at the top of the Soviet hierarchy and to permit a little bit more initiative, a little more intellectual elbow room to the new Soviet managerial class. Khrushchev began his speech with the assumption of Stalin's "great contributions" to Communism and criticized him only for his "excessive" repressions against the wrong people — that is, against other Communists. De-Stalinization was not intended to go far; it has not gone far but is not being withdrawn. The dictatorship is wholly in control.

On Relations with the Satellites — Khrushchev and Co. misjudged the effect of de-Stalinization on the satellites, especially those with a long history of pre-Communist Russian domination. Today Kremlin policy toward the satellites, is as rough, tough and unbending as it ever was under Stalin.

The force and fury of the Polish and Hungarian revolts took the Kremlin by surprise. Poland and Hungary have gone farther in reducing Kremlin control than the Soviets relish and they are determined it won't happen again. The judgment of those closest to the facts is that the Soviets will use massive force against Poland or Hungary or any other satellite which goes beyond these two limits:

If it fails to maintain a "Communist system."

If it denounces the Warsaw Pact — which justifies the presence of Soviet troops.

On the Conduct of the Cold War — De-Stalinization has little bearing on the methods and goals of Soviet foreign policy. The goals remain the same, the methods, if anything, more venturesome, as in the Middle East.

Moscow's two diplomatic objectives are:

To liquidate NATO entirely, to see its organization dismantled and American forces drawn back to the shores of the continental United States.

To neutralize Germany entirely.

To keep things so stirred up in the Middle East that peace between the Arab nations and Israel will be impossible to attain. Its ultimate end is to cut off Europe's indispensable oil supply which, to Moscow, would be better than taking Western Europe by arms.

Can't Withdraw

There is no evidence that the Kremlin is open to productive negotiation on a single point.

Could there, for example, be a mutual draw-back of East-West forces where they now confront each other in Germany?

The answer here is that the Soviet Union does not dare, in light of the Polish and Hungarian revolutions, withdraw its forces from a single Eastern European nation it now occupies, including East Germany. If it did, the "peoples' democracy," Communist-style, would be overthrown and as the leader of international Communism, Moscow cannot sacrifice a Communist regime to popular will. That would start toppling the satellite dominoes.

This means that there can be no unification of Germany on the basis of all-German elections but only on the basis of Bonn's acceptance of the East German Communist government.

On balance the prospect of any useful negotiation with the Kremlin is less promising today than it has been for a long time.

The Lighter Side—

The Irish, God Bless 'Em

By DOC QUIGG

NEW YORK (UP) — "There's a prayer that's breathed around in Dear Old Erin's Land; it's murmured on the threshold stone with a smile and a clasp of hand; and oft, perchance, This murmured low with a sigh and a falling ear— but the sweetest blessing that man can bestow is a prayer, 'God bless all here.'"

If you chance to be in New York next Saturday and turn your TV to a full Irish face spoutin' blarney by the barrell and sentiment for the Old Sod, it'll be John Joseph McCarthy that's comin' at you.

John Joseph, commonly known as Jack, is the poet of St. Paddy's parade, the gr-r-reat march that sends 110,000 Irishmen-and-friends tramping up Fifth Avenue. He's never forgotten the days when he was a tiny gossoon at the knee of his Ma (from County Cavan) and his Pa (from Longford), listening to his kinfolk recite the "come-all-ye's" of the Irish singing story-tellers.

A Man Of Verse

"Ah, he's a great man with a verse," he would hear them say in admiration of a fine reciter. He's grown up to be such a man, and when he begins waxing Irish over the glories of the parade, Swedes, Italians, Chinese, Dutch, Danes, Norwegians, French, and the scores of other nationalities that crowd this polyglot burg become moist-eyed Irishmen during the four-hour teleview on station WPIX.

This will be McCarthy's ninth straight TV-cast of the St. Patrick's Day parade, which this year is being held a day early, on March 16. If you ask him how he likes talking for four hours about the march, he'll tell you: "It's a great honor." He's reverent about things Irish.

He studies the history and folklore, and he has about 200 verses ready to fling at you. Standing opposite the reviewing stand, he becomes almost a part of the parade. "Here comes the wee ones from St. Michael's. Oh, and will you look at this one now. Isn't it grand she looks? Hello, darlin'. Bless you."

Recalling that a poet was buried in the shadow of Ben Bulgen Mountain led him also to recall that "one of my great granduncles scaled the highest mountain in Ireland and then went on, with a partner, to try to scale the mighty Matterhorn. But a great blizzard halted them half way up. It snows and howled 12, 24, 36 hours.

Man's Best Friend!

"They thought they were lost. Then, out of the murk, came a big St. Bernard, keg lashed at his chin, and my great granducle cried: 'To the land sakes alive, we're saved—here comes' man's best friend with a dog.'"

McCarthy believes the parade is "New York's salute to the Irish because of their contribution to this country." He tries to bring his audience into the sentiment, humor, and deep religious significance of the event. When a parader hollers to him "Top o' the mornin'" and he replies, "And the rest of the day to your dear, sweet self," it's with a lilt that shows how an Irishman feels this day.

And when McCarthy signs off to join the parade himself, he always says: "God keep the heart of you clean, and may you be in heaven a half hour before the devil finds you're dead. Goodbye now."

The Cynic's Corner—

"Talk about Academy Awards . . . !"

Behind The News—

U. S. Will Continue to Spurn Chinese Reds

By CHARLES M. McCANN

Secretary of State John Foster Dulles has left no room for doubt about United States policy toward Communist China.

Mr. McCann

There has been speculation, off and on, for a long time on the possibility that the United States might soften its attitude toward the Red government of Peiping.

But Dulles, in a statement to members of the Southeast Asia Treaty Organization, now meeting in Australia, said emphatically:

The United States means to continue its recognition of the Chinese Nationalist government in Formosa.

It will not recognize the Communist government.

It will continue to oppose the admittance of the Chinese Red regime to the United Nations.

Dulles' statement seemed to be a carefully considered pronouncement of a policy which will continue for the foreseeable future.

The Reason Why

One reason for the statement probably was that Red China shares the embarrassment of Soviet Russia over the way the demotion of Josef Stalin from Communist sainthood got out of hand.

Dulles apparently felt that this was no time to do any favors to one of the two great Communist powers.

But his blast against the Chinese Reds marked a definite hardening of policy.

It has been more than seven years since the Communists overran China and sent Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek to seek refuge in Formosa.

With each passing year, there is less possibility that Chiang ever can achieve his dream of invading the mainland and throwing out the Reds.

The Communists represent about 500 million people. The population of Formosa totals about 8 million, most of whom would be happy if Chiang and his army went to China or anywhere else.

The Peiping government has been trying to find some means of getting the United States into a direct conference, in which Dulles would meet Chinese Communist Premier Chou En-Lai.

Also Ask Peace Talks

The Communists also have been broadcasting messages about the desirability of peace talks to high officials of the Chinese Nationalist regime, including Lt. Gen. Chiang Ching-Kuo, the generalissimo's eldest son and possible political heir.

There also has been talk of an international agreement under which there might be "two Chinas." This somewhat nebulous idea would imply that both Nationalist China and Communist China might be recognized and that both might be members of the U. N.

In addition, there is the question of Japan's future relations with Red China. Japan so far, under successive premiers, has adhered to a pro-American policy, and has refused to recognize the Peiping government. But China, offering unlimited possibilities of trade, is Japan's next door neighbor, and Japan needs foreign trade. The day must come when Japanese-Chinese relations are closer.

But there hardly can be much effective criticism of Dulles' statement of policy. The cold war is on again. The Moscow and Peiping governments are enemies of everything the United States stands for.

Fairly Spoken—

Children Can Improve Many Adult Parties

By MARGARET LATROBE

I have no wish to deprive baby sitters of a livelihood. Still it seems a pity that family visits have almost become one with the dodo bird. Vanished from the scene, as it were.

Last New Year's a friend of ours announced a whing-ding of some size, creating a near riot among invited guests. Adult admittance to this gala was "By Children Only." To the very smallest one.

Mrs. Latrobe

The kids were so accustomed to being left back that they kept looking for the joker in this New Year's deck. "Us, too?" You, too, we said, a bit weakly.

So that house was filled with music and dancing and more fun than any of us had had in a good many socials. There was a place for 18 youngsters, if they wanted to be there — games and cookies and soda pop and television. Except that the TV found itself playing to a vacant room most of the evening.

Young men aged 10, proud of their jackets and white shirts, asked grandmothers for the next dance. And, lessons or not, they did no worse than plenty of their masculine elders. Little girls, entranced by the late hour and their four petticoats, sat sweetly on cushions staring at this grown-up party's progress. Probably not nearly so gay and grand as the sitters had described — but certainly worth their undivided participation.

The party was a sensation. And none of us have since engaged sitters fora night's revelry called bridge-playing, mostly) without being called to account. "Why can't we go, too?"

Loving one's children doesn't imply hovering after them every moment. Parents need escape — uh, a change of personnel to preserve and enhance perspective. More important, children need respite from mamma's ever-watchful eye, themselves. Why do you suppose kindly middle-aged sitters beam on your tots, acclaiming them angels — when you left them quite oppositely disposed? Don't fool yourself; sometimes the best break the wee ones can have is to see the backs of their "outgoing" parents.

Yet there is another diminished social event which could well return, to the mutual good of us all. That's the family visit — all the kids of all the families, plus any stray cousins that happen along. Don't try to amuse them; they'll manage. Just feed them, and have a pallet or two handy when the littlest get too much of a good thing. A gathering like this makes the old feel younger, the young act older — and no one worries about whether things are going well at home.

I don't mean the tots should think every Saturday night is New Year's Eve. I mean only that parties are often more fun with than without.

Out of the Files

Thirty Years Ago—

Monday, March 14, 1927

The Belle Vernon Merchants' First Merchandise Exposition and Style Show will be presented Thursday and Friday of this week at the Melenyzer Furniture store on Main street.

Trinity Episcopal Church is receiving bids for the erection of a parish house on Reed avenue. The work is to be done this summer.

Twenty Years Ago

Sunday, March 14, 1937

No Issue.

Ten Years Ago—

Friday, March 14, 1947

Directors of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Monessen last night marked the 25th anniversary of the establishment of the institution and at the same time honored William P. Kirk, who served as president throughout the first quarter-century. Mr. Kirk has been succeeded as president by Dr. Ralph E. Palmer, local dentist.

The film, "The Best Years of Our Lives", won nine gold Oscars last night at the movie makers annual Academy awards presentation. The leading man, Frederic March won an Oscar for the film, while Olivia deHaviland, who starred in "To Each His Own", also was presented with an Oscar.

The Monessen Daily Independent and the John L. Gibson Garage will sponsor another Monessen running of the All-American Soap Box Derby in 1947. District boys from 11 to 15 years of age will build racers and drive them in the Fourth of July classic, which offers many prizes and awards.

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OFF TO MODEL UNITED NATIONS — (l. to r.) Ceil Zoretich and Janie Williams are receiving last minute instructions from Miss Helen Williams, Monessen Tri-Hi-Y sponsor, for their part in the Y. M. C. A. sponsored United Nations model conference being held in Harrisburg on Friday and Saturday. Janie Williams is president of the local Tri-Hi-Y chapter and she and Miss Zoretich have been chosen to represent the United States at the conference.

Local Tri-Hi-Y Members Attend Model UN Meet

The eyes of the world are upon the United Nations as it moves to promote peace in troubled areas and for the past month Tri-Hi-Y clubs all over Pennsylvania have been discussing ideas for proposals and resolutions which their delegates will present at the State Y. M. C. A. Tri-Hi-Y Model United Nations Assembly, which will be held in Harrisburg tomorrow and Saturday.

Delegates from the Monessen chapter will be Janie Williams and Ceil Zoretich, who have been assigned to represent the United States at the Harrisburg Assembly.

At this time, Janie Williams, chairman of the United States delegation, will give the greeting. Each delegate will prepare a special costume indicative of the country she represents and each has made an intensive study of that country to learn as much as possible concerning the language and customs and its position in the UN.

Plan Resolution

The local delegates attended a District United Nations Assembly at Charleroi to prepare for the Statewide Assembly. They plan to present the following proposal: "That member nations of the UN form a council among all nations to form a better system of international education".

The fifth Pennsylvania Y. M. C. A. Model United Nations Assembly Program for Tri-Hi-Y gives each delegate an actual experience in understanding the intricate workings of the UN and is considered a real aid in promoting world understanding among high school age students.

Troop 24 Girl Scouts Plan To Go Bowling

Girl Scouts of Troop 24 met at the Civic Center last night. The opening ceremony was conducted by Marlene Bolton, flag bearer and Antoinette Yelletz and Clarita Dzatko, color guards.

Plans were made to go bowling on Saturday at 1 o'clock at the C.I.O. Hall and they will challenge girls of Troop 23. Bunny Tesack, assistant leader of Troop 23, was present to explain bowling. Girls were reminded to bring permission slips on Saturday.

Refreshments were served by Clarita Dzatko and Carol Horan.

Marlene Bolton was appointed newsie.

Daryl Morgan, Raymond Moody Are Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morgan, of Fairhope, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Daryl, to Raymond Moody. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Moody, of Fayette City.

The bride-elect attended Bellmar High School and her fiance is a Bellmar graduate. He is employed by the Dick Construction Corp.

No immediate wedding plans have been made known by the couple.

Anna Popella Entertains For Cardetts

A meeting of the Cardetts was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Anna Popella, on Chestnut street. Two tables of five hundred were in play.

Helen Revak won the high score award and other awards were made to Sadie Boyd and Alvina Mauro.

Luncheon was served and Aloa Brown, of Clarendon avenue, was named next hostess.

LOCALS

Mrs. George Penich, of Monessen, is undergoing medical treatment in the Monongahela Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Byron, of Athalia avenue, have returned home following a winter vacation in Florida.

The meeting of St. Leonard Parent Teacher Association set for Sunday afternoon has been postponed until Thursday, March 21. A special program is being planned.

Betty Smith, of McKee way, interior decorator at Stern's, who has been ill for several days has resumed her ditues.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Romenski, of Cleveland, spent the past several days visiting here with friends. They left for their home this morning after visiting yesterday in Brownsville.

St. Cajetan Sodality in Business Meet

Prefect Betty Mandarino was in charge of the March meeting of the Young Ladies Sodality of St. Cajetan R. C. Church held in the church hall.

Secretary Yvonne Pansino reported on the last meeting and the trip to St. Vincent College to see the operetta, "Naughty Marietta" was reported by Leonore DeVito.

The new "grapevine" telephone system was discussed. Announcement was made that an invitation has been extended to girls of the church to become Sodality members.

Guests at the meeting were Cassie Vivian, Patty D'Antonio, Gloria Vagnoni, Vera Victoria, Melaine Damore, Yolanda Picardi and Marie DeCroce.

A committee was chosen to plan the May activities and it includes Adele Alvarez, Diane Salotti, Patty Bisceglia, Mary Santoro, Virginia Orrico, Joe Marie DiGioia. "Bargain Month" was observed and girls paid their "debts" at half price.

Diane Salotti won the special award.

St. John Altar Guild in Business and Social Meet

The Ladies Altar Guild of St. John the Divine Russian Orthodox Church was held Tuesday evening at the Russian Hall with Mrs. Elizabeth Rusnak, president, in charge. She gave the opening prayer.

A report was given on the successful pirohi supper which was held the first Friday of Lent.

A bake sale was planned for Mother's Day and the members were also reminded to turn in their donations for the bakeless bake sale now in progress.

Will Receive Communion

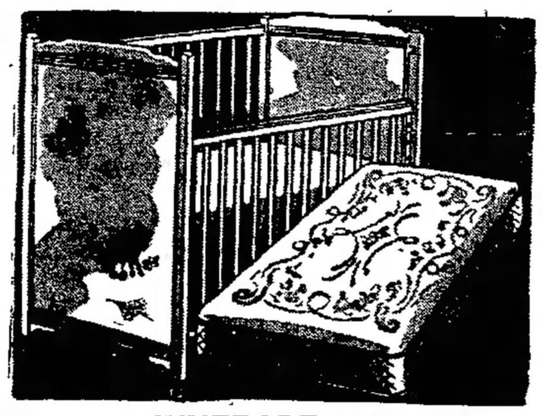
Plans were completed for the annual Communion Breakfast, which the Guild will sponsor for the children of the parish. The children will receive their communion on Sunday after which they will gather at the Russian Hall for the breakfast.

It was also decided that the women of the Guild will receive Holy Communion in a body on April 7. All officers and members are asked to attend.

A special prize was won by Susan Evanich.

Each member, who observed a birthday in March received a gift handkerchief and the group sang "Happy Birthday" to Sophie Hubans, Ann Imbrogno, Helen Josko, Mary Kirpan, Anna Krivyanik, Eva Malega, Elizabeth Mandzok, Mary Saladiak, Sadie Staretz, Ann Youshock and Ann Matty.

Luncheon was served by a committee headed by Margaret Gnora assisted by Ann Bobko, Anna Charisky, Mary Chuprinko, Mrs. George Chuprinko, Helen Cmar, Ella Dacko, Maria Dacko, Helen Dacko, Mary Dacko, Dorothy Ellin, Susan Evanich and Mary Ezerski.



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Devotion Program For C. D. of A. Court

A meeting of the Senior Court Catholic Daughters of America was held on Tuesday evening in St. Leonard Hall and opened with the recitation of the rosary led by the Rev. John L. Conway.

Father Conway spoke on "Vocations", which is the theme for the month of March.

Grand Regent Mary Ann D'Alonzo conducted the business session and Betty Veschio, historian, read a report on the last meeting. Committee reports were submitted by Mary Galaski on the February social.

Barbara Keim, chairman of the Day of Recollection planned for Sunday, April 7, asked that all planning to go to St. Emma's Retreat House in Greensburg for the program report to St. Leonard Church no later than 7:30 a. m. that day.

Poetry Contest

The National C. D. of A. is sponsoring a poetry contest and many entries have been submitted locally. The Monessen Court will make prize awards and the local winners will then have their work sent to the state and these winners will have their poems forwarded to the national competition.

The local court is giving a first and second prize in the first division, fourth, fifth and sixth grades; second division, seventh, eighth and ninth and third, 10th, 11th and 12th grades.

Doris Moussiaux gave a report on the Mardi Gras bazaar recently held, which was successful socially and financially.

The annual Holy Communion and breakfast was set for May 5 with an 8:15 mass at St. Leonard Ann Billick was named breakfast chairman.

There was no social hour, but two prizes were awarded. The guest award was won by Rene Moncini and the special award by Dorothy Jones.

Confraternity Of Holy Name Church Meets

Due to the Lenten season the meeting held last night by the Confraternity of Christian Mothers of the Most Holy Name of Jesus Church was devoted completely to business.

The Rev. Joseph Gajdosik gave the opening prayer and Mrs. Margaret Zubic, president, was in charge of the business session.

Routine reports were given by Mrs. Mary Sassak, secretary and Mrs. Anna Buchko, treasurer and Anna Kaminecky and Mrs. Mary Suchy reported on the ill members.

Mrs. Mary Check, who was in charge of the Mardi Gras supper, reported on the successful affair.

A card party is being planned on April 28 in the church hall with Mrs. Irene Kerestes as chairman.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Aloysuis Ficek, Donora, a son, seven pounds, 14 ounces, March 12, at 1:57 a. m., at the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Comadena, Belle Vernon, a daughter, nine pounds, 10 ounces, March 12, at 11:20 a. m., at the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Koussonmbus, Allenport, a daughter, six pounds, 11 ounces, March 12, at 11:09 a. m., at the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Manos, Dunlevy, a daughter, six pounds, one ounce, March 12, at 8.17 a. m., at the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Propes, Belle Vernon R. D. 2, a son, eight pounds, March 12, at 5:35 p. m., at the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sava, 25 East Schoonmaker avenue, Monessen, a son, six pounds, seven ounces, March 11, at 8.33 a. m., at the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital.

M. H. S. Class Of 1937 Sets Reunion Plans

A meeting of the original committee of the Monessen High School Class of 1937 will be held in the firemen's room of the City Building on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Plans were made at a preliminary meeting on Feb. 22 to hold a reunion at Twin Coaches on Sunday, July 7. Chairman Emil Spadafore appointed Helen Kreger and Bill Morino, vice chairmen; Helen Pokomo and Grace Kachmarik, secretary-treasurer; Davene McKelvey, publicity chairman; Helen Kreger, Davene McKelvey, Otto Redlich and Bill Reed, banquet committee Betty Newman was named historian.

Future meetings are scheduled for March 15, April 5 and 26; May 17 and June 7, 14 and 28.

All correspondence should be sent to Grace Kachmarik, 625 Rostraver street.

Cheryl La Presti Honored at Birthday Party

Cheryl Ann LaPresti, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony LaPresti, of 210 Shawnee avenue, observed her seventh birthday anniversary yesterday with a party at her home.

There were 12 of her friends in attendance and games were played. Prizes were won by Joseph Gadzik, Joseph DeAngelis and Sheila Hubans.

Luncheon was served along with a large decorated birthday cake.

Cheryl Ann was presented with many gifts.

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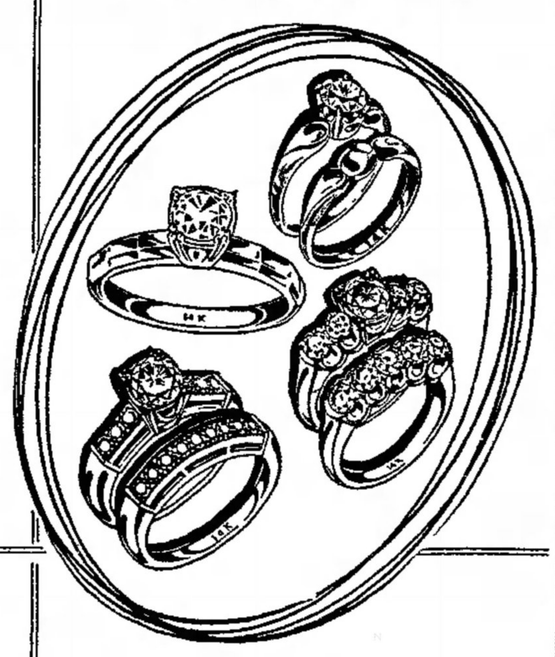

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AT SCHOOL — Marion Olkonen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Jadik, of 139 East Schoonmaker avenue, is attending Humboldt Institute Airline Business Training School at Minneapolis, Minn., where she will prepare to work in the offices of an airline firm. She was graduated from Monessen High School in 1956.

Hold Meeting At Allen Home

A meeting of the Monday Afternoon club was held at the home of Mrs. Geraldine Allen, on Schoonmaker avenue and the vice president, Willa Mae Thomas, was in charge.

The social held recently by the club was reported successful.

Cards were played after the business session.

Miss Thomas, of Morgan avenue will be next hostess on March 18.

Valley DAR Chapter Holds Session at Monongahela

The March meeting of the Monongahela Valley Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution was held in the Monongahela Borough building with Regent Mrs. Kenyon Nicholl presiding.

After the ritualistic opening the invocation was given by Nan Cooper and the group joined in the pledge of allegiance and sang the National Anthem with Mrs. Groves accompanying.

An invitation was received from the Allegheny County League of Women Voters to attend a luncheon on March 28 in the Methodist Center in Pittsburgh to hear guest speakers discuss the situation abroad.

Announcement was made of three candidates for the office of Vice President General. They were Mrs. William Wallace McClaugherty of West Virginia, Ruth S. Massey, of Arkansas and Mrs. John Franklin Baker, of Missouri.

Mrs. O. C. Taylor presented the new by-laws section by section and they were accepted unanimously by the group.

Merit Award

Mrs. Nicholl announced that the merit award to an outstanding citizen must be made through the state chairman. A committee composed of Miss Price Frye, Mrs Wilbur Nelson and Mrs. A. J. Frazier was named to work on this project and report at the next meeting.

The music for the afternoon was secured by W. Clyde Groves. Mrs. ohn Tregembo sang "I'll Walk With God" and "This Is My Country". She was accompanied by her daughter, Barbara.

"Our Responsibility as Citizens" was the theme of the program presented in 10 minute talks. Mrs. O. C. Colgan spoke on "Our Responsibility to the Church" and Mrs. Arthur Weddell on "Our Responsibility to Women's Organizations." Another talk planned by Mrs. O. C. Taylor was postponed until the April meeting.

The Regent announced the April meeting to be held in California at the Polish Hall.

Miss Charlotte Swan was elected to complete Mrs. Lair's term as registrar.

The Charleroi-Monessen group will meet with Mrs. W. B. Waite on Tuesday, March 19.

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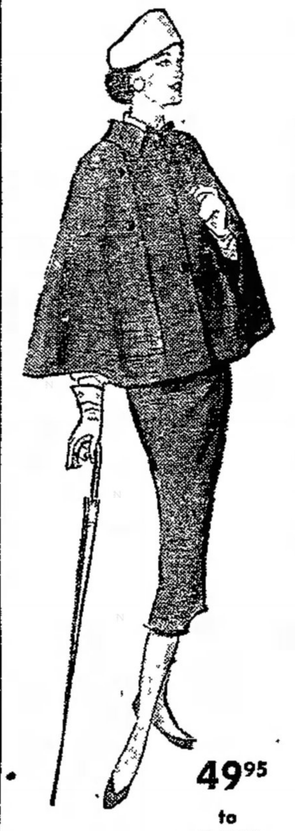

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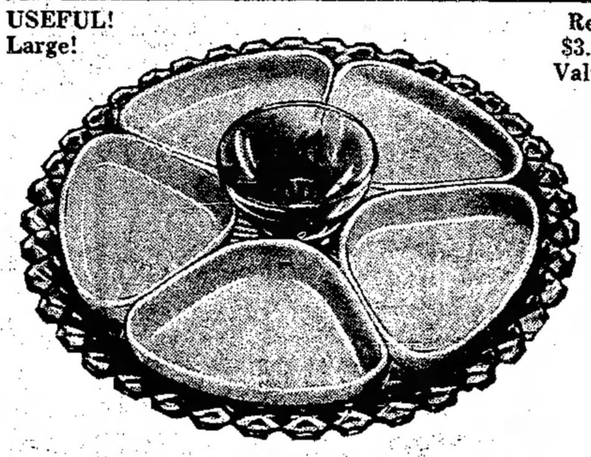

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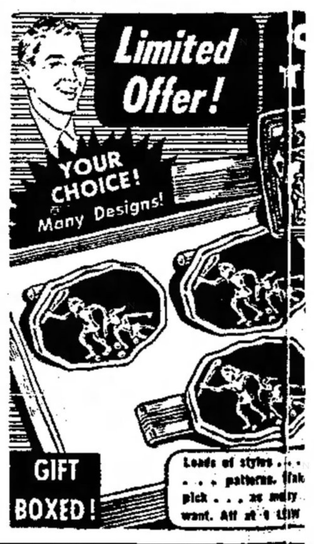

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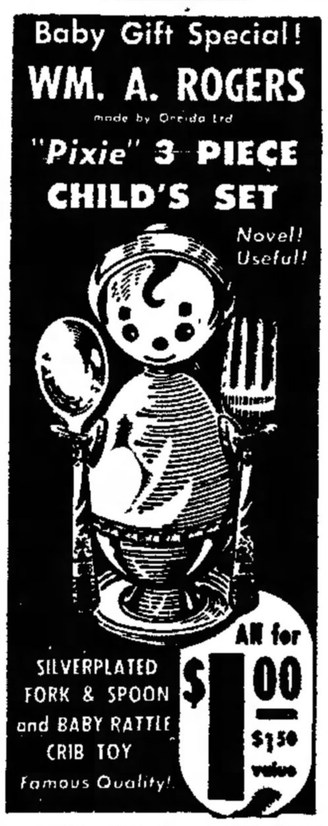

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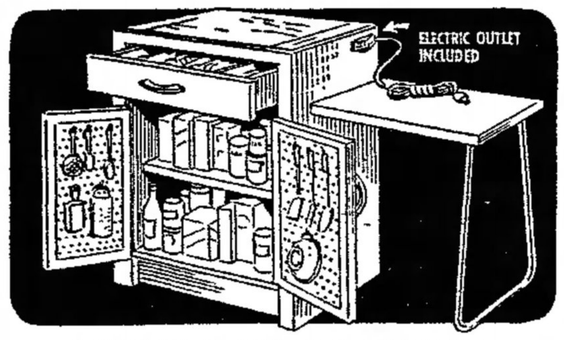

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ON THE BALL

By ALLEN KLINE

Little League to Use Stadium

Monessen's Little League baseballers will use Memorial Stadium as their home site again this season. The School Board has okayed an LL request for the '57 campaign . . . Incidentally there's still hope that the field next to the Stadium will eventually be developed into a baseball diamond. That would go a long way in solving the city's field shortage . . . The Ozarks had a reason for extending the entry deadline in the upcoming tournament back to midnight Sunday. They want to give Charleroi an opportunity to enter, providing the Cougars fail to survive their semi-final test with Sharon on Saturday in the WPIAL show.

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There's a story behind McKeesport's seven point victory over Uniontown in WPIAL play the other night. Earlier in the season, the Tigers barely nipped Uniontown, 47-45, at the McKeesport floor. However both teams played that game without a starter. The Tigers were minus Billy Pryor while Uniontown played without Larry Jenkins. Oddly enough, those two boys were the stars in this week's game. Pryor tossed in 24 points, while Jenkins hit for 22 . . . By the way, Uniontown High has a legitimate complaint over the condition of the Pitt Field House floor. The dusty surface seriously slowed the Raiders, a running team.

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DeLuca Will Stay at St. Vincent

Al DeLuca, St. Vincent College football coach, has apparently turned down an attractive offer by an eastern university. At any rate, he'll be at the Bearcat helm next season . . . Coach Steve Furin and his North Union basketballers will sit in on the upcoming NIT Tournament. That's an annual trip for the school's cagers . . . Johnny Michelosen, Pitt football coach, will be the guest speaker at the annual North Charleroi Toast-to-Our Stars club dinner on April 25 in the Sons of Italy Hall, Charleroi. The Panther boss will bring along two of his star pupils, All-American end Joe Walton and quarterback Corny Salvaterra . . . Chuck Zawacki, Uniontown High product now at Ohio State, took the middle-aisle plunge recently.

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We know a fellow who claims he shelled out $3 for a ticket to the McKeesport-Uniontown game at Pitt Field House the other night. WPIAL officials stopped selling tickets at 6:30 p. m. and "scalpers" wasted no time in hiking prices . . . Incidentally there was an ironic twist to the situation. Uniontown, where basketball interest is not exactly overwhelming, returned no less than 300 tickets. However authorities refused to put the pasteboards on sale, fearing someone would get hurt in the rush to the ticket window. Thus the crowd did not fill the gym even though the game was a sellout!

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Certainly Exciting Tournament

This is certainly one of the most exciting WPIAL Basketball Tournaments in history. The favorites have won every game, yet none of the losers was disgraced. Until last night, the winning margin was never wider than seven points. Usually just a point or two have separated the victor and loser . . . Our pre-tourney choices were Sharon in the Class A Division and Wampum in the B bracket. We'll stick by them . . . And don't sell Charleroi short. If Ollie Payne untightens and drives like he knows how, the Cougars still might turn out as the tourney's surprise team. They'll find themselves underdogs for the first time this year on Saturday when they meet Sharon. A victory in that game just might mean an eventual ticket to Philly for the Cougars.

Penn State Back Signs with Colts

BALTIMORE, Md. (UP)— Bob Pollard of Penn State and Jack Lee of Georgia Tech, two halfbacks who have been in the armed forces, signed 1957 contracts today with the Baltimore Colts.

Pollard, who has been stationed in Germany, stands 6-1 and weighs 190 pounds. Lee, who played service football for the Marines while stationed at Quantico and Camp Lejeune, stands 6-2 and weighs 195.

Recreation Dept.

Seventh Grade

Jets 2, Spitfires 0
Pioneers 20, Blackhawks 15
Silver Eagles 2, Hurricanes 0

Bosox Unable To Trade

SARASOTA, Fla., (UP)—Manager Mike Higgins today pictured his Boston Red Sox as a "gold mine" for all major league clubs in the trading market, but complained that "there simply are no takers."

"We tried hard during the winter to make deals," he disclosed, "but it was the same old story—the other clubs offered second stringers for our front-liners.

Higgins refused to name any Red Sox players whom he thinks might be attractive to prospective traders on the grounds that "to single out this player and that would give them the idea the Red Sox don't want them any longer."

Help By Trading

"And that just isn't the case," Mike explained. "We want them, and we'll keep them, but I have fellows who other clubs could use and those clubs have players I could use. If we can help ourselves, we'll trade. I figure that is the way the other clubs should look at it, too, but so far they haven't."

Joe Cronin, the general manager of the Red Sox, also said the club "tried all winter to make deals."

"We even were after Kansas City for Art Ditmar," he said. Ditmar was one of the hurlers the world champion Yankees acquired in a 13-player deal with Kansas City.

Refuses Go Along

Higgins refused to go along with those who feel the Yankees, with the addition of Ditmar and Bobby Shantz, obtained in the same deal, are a cinch for the pennant.

"They can be had and there are quite a few clubs in this league which could go all the way if they get off to a good start. One of them is the Red Sox.

"We could surprise them all. We have the potential to take it all. We only have to live up to that potential."

Higgins predicted a closer race than last year for the American League pennant.

"No club is going to run away and hide from such clubs as Detroit, Cleveland, Chicago and Boston," he prophesied, "not even New York."

Two Sweeps in Parlors League

Florists blanked Mihalich and Diethornes swept over the Ravens in Grand Parlors Bowling League action last night.

Top scorers wre Coonell Ranallo, 201-515; Sage Salay, 187-505; Eugene Jones, 174-469; Mike Adamio, 196-461; Joe Koget, 197-461; and Len Lewitsky, 179-456.

Standings show Florists, 21-12; Diethornes, 18-15; Mihalich, 15-18; and Ravens, 12-21.

Four more weeks remain in the second half race. Diethornes already own the first half crown.

Trojans, Bulldogs In Bowling Wins

Trojans won a pair from the Panthers and Bulldogs took two from the Irish in GAPA Bowling League action last night.

Top bowlers were Chuck Miller, 158-440; Gus Manos, 162-456; Fotey Loulis, 142-414; Coon Ranallo, 219-510; and Paul Ciccarelli, 152-429.

Standings show Trojans, 18-12; Bulldogs, 18-12; Irish, 14-16; and Panthers, 10-20.

'Quality' Quints In Ozark Tourney

Five star-studded teams have already entered the sixth annual Mon Valley Amateur Basketball Tournament, according to director Tony Mascetta.

"As usual, most teams are waiting until the Sunday midnight deadline before completing their rosters," said Mascetta.

"By tournament time, we hope to have around 20 quality teams in the field," he added.

The floor show will begin next Tuesday at the Monessen High gym and run every other night through the 29th.

A special feature of the current tournament will be a beauty contest. Valley schools will be asked to nominate seniors to compete for the title of tournament queen.

Donora Enters

Just one team has entered in the senior division, but what a team it is!

Representing Donora, the quint will include stars from a couple of colleges.

Al Frank, who rewrote all of the scoring records at Carnegie Tech, is listed on the roster. So is another Tech star, Charles Goetz.

Another member of the cast is Guy Pugliese, who averaged 21 points per game at Sharpsburg High School. Sibby LoNegro, the California Teachers standout, is also in the cast.

Hometown Donorans on the team include Arnold Galiffa, John Mesher, Al Garde, Dave Wunderlich and Dave Russell, all good ball players.

Junior Teams

Teams from Connellsville, Brownsville, Monessen and Greensburg have entered the junior division.

The Monessen team, representing the Greyhound Bus Terminal, will be coached by Roy DeRocco. Included on the roster are next year's Monessen High hopefuls: Richard DiBiaso, Joe Kurey, Al Thiry, Dan Barton, Joe Karbowsky, Charles Bill, Bill Mackinen, George Murin, Myron Sepitko and Carl Payne.

The Greensburg entry will be coached by St. Vincent College star Bernie Peterson. In 1954, the County Seat boys took top honors in the junior class.

This year's roster, as usual, will be made up of Greensburg High undergraduates.

Brownsville Roster

The Brownsville outfit will be coached by Buck Grover, a former Brownie athlete. He has Bob Chey, Grover Ferguson, Bob Hanula, Bernard Hovan, Don Kostelnik and Jerry Sluger, all BHS athletes.

In addition, Grover has lured John Rohaley and Sam Canastra from Redstone and Ken Kulak and Nate Green from California.

The Connellsville roster is a mixture of Connellsville and Uniontown High products. Pat Campbell will coach the club.

Irwin, Bell Avon Win in Tourney

Irwin will meet Bell Avon on Friday at 7:30 p. m. for the Class B title of the 1957 Westmoreland County Basketball Tournament.

Irwin advanced last night at the Hempfield High gym by beating Laurel Valley, 50-42, while Belle Avon handled Trafford, 61-51.

Tonight the Class A semi-finals will be staged at the Hempfield gym. Greensburg will go against Scottdale at 7:30 while defending champion Latrobe will take on Derry at 9.

County Tourney

Class A
First Round

Greensburg 58, Rostraver 37
N. Huntingdon 38, Ligonier 36
Hempfield 61, Penn 52
Derry 59, Ramsay 48
Latrobe 59, St. Vincent 23
Bellmar 66, New Kensington 47
Jeannette 61, Vandergrift 33
Scottdale 48, Hurst 46

Quarter-Finals

Greensburg 53, Hempfield 40
Scottdale 58, Jeannette 57
Latrobe 52, North Huntingdon 38
Derry Twp. 66, Bellmar 46

Semi-Finals (Thursday)

Greensburg vs. Scottdale (7:30)
Latrobe vs. Derry Twp. (9)

Finals (Friday)

Class B
First Round

Laurel Valley 42, Export 26
S. Huntingdon 52, Sewickley Twp. 33
Bell Avon 65, E. Huntingdon 43

Quarter-Finals

Irwin 67, South Huntingdon 32
Trafford 60, Washington Twp. 43
Bell Avon 51, Franklin Twp. 50

Semi-Finals

Irwin 50, Laurel Valley 42
Bell Avon 61, Trafford 51

Finals (Friday)

TOURNEY CARD

CLASS A
PLAYOFF GAMES

Tarentum 66, Freeport 47
Washington 54, Mt. Lebanon 49

FIRST ROUND GAMES

Ford City 39, Redstone 38
Baldwin 51, Monaca 47
Scott 64, Coraopolis 61 (ot)
Uniontown 59, Tarentum 52
Charleroi 53, Derry Two. 51

QUARTER-FINAL GAMES

Ford City 45, Baldwin 43
Charleroi 39, Washington 38
McKeesport 61, Uniontown 54
Sharon 53, Scott 34

SEMI-FINAL GAMES

Friday, March 15 — Ford City vs. McKeesport, Pitt Field House, 8.
Saturday, March 16 — Sharon vs. Charleroi, Pitt Field House, 8.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Wednesday, March 20 — Pitt Field House, 8 p. m.

CLASS B
PRELIMINARY PLAYOFF GAME

Perryopolis 73, Irwin 66

PLAYOFF GAME

West Newton 76, Perryopolis 58

FIRST ROUND GAME

Aspinwall 42, Neville 40

QUARTER-FINAL GAMES

Shannock Valley 76, Edgewood 65
Wampum 78, McDonald 53
Aspinwall 54, West Newton 36
Snowden 68, Behlehem Jt. 51

SEMI-FINAL GAMES

Thursday, March 14 — Wampum vs. Snowden, Pitt Field House, 7:30; Shannock Valley vs. Aspinwall, Pitt Field House, 9.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Tuesday, March 19 — Pitt Field House, 8.

Ozark Cagers To Meet Tonight

Members of the Monessen Ozarks basketball team are asked to report to Memorial Civic Center tonight at 7:30 p. m.

Manager Tony Mascetta said the meeting was necessary so that the players might sign an entry blank for an upcoming tournament in Pittsburgh.

He also asked the cagers to bring along their jerseys.

Sharon Romps in Tourney

By UNITED PRESS

The Sharon Bengals, Section 3 champions, showed their stuff Wednesday night for the first time in the WPIAL basketball tournament and trounced Scott High of North Braddock, 53-34, in a quarterfinal game at the Pitt Field House.

The first half was close and ended with Sharon leading, 20-18, but in the second half the Bengals ran away from the Section 7 titlists to win by the biggest margin of any of the playoff games at the Field House to date.

Sharon, which dethroned Farrell, last season's WPIAL and PIAA champions, hit on 41 per cent of its field goal attempts and 11 of 15 foul tries. Scott had a field goal percentage of 27 per cent and sank only two of nine free throws.

23rd Win

A crowd of 3,589 watched the Bengals score their 23rd consecutive victory of the season. Johnridley and Ed Winters paced Sharon with 16 and 12 points, respectively. Bob Tomasic was high for the losers with 13.

Sharon will play Charleroi, of Section 5, in a semifinal game at the Field House Saturday night.

Tonight's action will feature three undefeated Class B teams in a semifinals doubleheader at the Field House. Wampum (25-0), of Section 20, takes on Snowden, of Section 14, in the opening game, and Shannock Valley (23-0), of Section 21, meets Aspinwall (22-0) of Section 19, in the second game.

The winners will meet for the Class B title at the Field House next Tuesday.

St. Francis in Bowling Sweep

St. Francis blanked St. Vincent in St. Cajetan Bowling League action last night.

In other matches, Notre Dame won a pair from Georgetown and Duquesne took two from Fordham.

Scoring leaders were Armand Niccolai, 194-502; Steve Hardoby, 169-480; Ralph Greco, 182-469; Rudy Greco, 156-413; Al Greco, 137-365; and Emil Crisi, 133-372.

Standings show Notre Dame, 17-7; Duquesne, 14-10; St. Francis, 13-11; Georgetown, 12-12; St. Vincent, 11-13; Fordham, 5-19.

Belle Vernon KC Team Ranks High

Belle Vernon's Knights of Columbus bowling team still holds seventh place in the current Eastern Division Tournament at Branan's Bowl in McKees Rocks.

Capt. Ken Stickel's boys were paced last weekend by Jim Mendicino. Other members of the team are Robello Zanardelli, Mike Semoncik, Dom Mazzei, and John Blatnik.

MHS Trackers Begin Practice

About 30 Hopefuls to Work Out Today at Memorial Stadium

Monessen High's track hopefuls will move outdoors for the first time today.

Coach Cliff Jones plans to take his 30-man squad to Memorial Stadium for a limbering-up drill. He had his boys begin their training yesterday in the MHS gym.

"We have only two boys back from last year's team, so all positions are wide open," said Jones.

"Most of the boys are ninth and tenth graders, so we don't expect to win any meets this season," added the Greyhound boss.

The two experienced boys in the current cast are miler Bill Donnell and hurdler George Seleylo.

To Report Soon

Donnell, who looked very good at times last season, hasn't as yet reported to the team. But he plans to once his duties with the MHS glee club are completed.

Seleylo showed signs of developing at the end of last season. He figures to be a threat in most meets.

However Jones concedes that the rest of the squad is totally inexperienced.

"We're building again this season," he pointed out.

Last year's MHS track team just about swept all dash events in district meets. However the Greyhounds lacked overall depth and thus failed to pile up impressive team scores. In the annual Big Six Meet, they won more first places than any other school yet finished last in point-standings.

Will Open Apirl 12

The 1957 season will open for Monessen on April 12. The Greyhounds will appear in a triangular meet at Brownsville, along with Monongahela.

On April 24, the Hounds will go to Donora for a triangular meet with the host Dragons and Charleroi. The annual Big Six meet is scheduled for Brownsville on May 3.

On May 8, Monessen will participate at Uniontown, along with German Twp.

The WPIAL qualifying meet this season will be held on May 10 at Latrobe. The championship event will be held May 18 at Mt. Lebanon.

Billy Donnell

Close Scores in Hearth League

All matches in the Open Hearth Bowling League ended in two-to-one decisions last night.

Van Marters topped Whitehouse. Maykovich bested the Balmers and Minardis tripped the Weddells.

Top scorers were Nick Cullen, 190-517; Boris Strahosky, 190-496; Joe Salay, 154-508; John Dyky, 210-558; Ed Kurtz, 177-515; and Ed Kroskie, 214-504.

Standings show Maykovich, 18-12; Minardis, 18-12; Weddells, 17-13; Balmers, 16-14; Van Marters, 14-16; Whitehouse, 7-23.

Top Archer to Appear Here For Sportsmen

Gary Anderson, outstanding young archer from Charleroi, will stage an exhibition at the Monessen Sportsmen Club House on Saturday, March 23rd.

Anderson's appearance will feature a special program arranged in conjunction with a fish fry. The event is open to the public.

Anderson has developed an archery act which includes some trick shooting. He will also boost the Charleroi Archery Club and discuss the sport in general.

Gary has splendid archery credentials. He was the national champion in the 13-15 year age division in 1954. In 1953 and 1955, he was state champion in that group.

Last year, Anderson was forced to compete with the men, having passed his 16th birthday. The youngster startled everyone by placing third in the national championship shoot.

In addition to the archery exhibition, a film entitled "Out of the North" will be screened. The movie concerns the flight of wild ducks and geese.

The program has been arranged for the Sportsmen by Fred Stockus. It will begin at 8 p. m.

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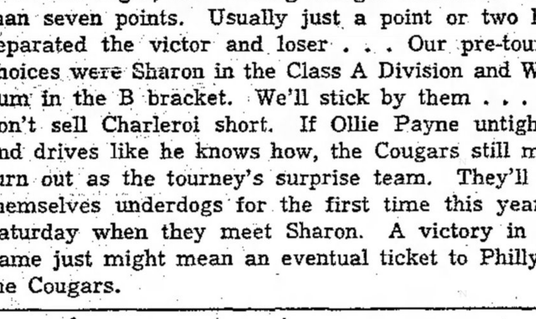

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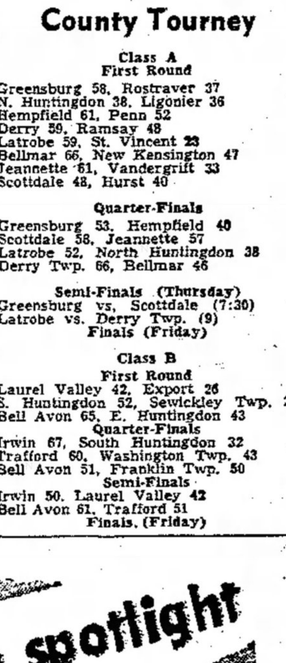

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Stuart Is Already 'Cockiest' Pirate

By MILTON RICHMAN

FORT MYERS, Fla. (UP) — By far the most fabulous rookie of the spring is Dick (Shotgun) Stuart, a Paul Bunyan in Pittsburgh flannels who clouted 66 homers last season, hit one ball 610 feet and makes Dizzy Dean sound like a sphinx by comparison.

So refreshingly cocky and articulate is the big, 200-pound outfielder about his accomplishments with Lincoln of the Western League last season and about what he can do in the big leagues that Pirate Manager Bobby Bragan had to advise him to ease up.

He Won't Stop

Here's a sampling of some of Stuart's comments:

"How much does Ted Williams make? A hundred thousand! Heck, I'm not gonna stop there."

"I don't see any reason why I shouldn't make this ball club. I drove in 158 runs last year which is about the same total all three Pittsburgh outfielders knocked in."

"Yeah, I hit a ball 610 feet in Pueblo last year. I got into the ball pretty good. That 610 feet is accurate. They measured it."

In a recent exhibition game against the Phillies, the right-handed hitting Stuart blasted a homer off Granny Hamner. Prior to the game, someone in the stands offered $5 to any Pirate player who hit a homer.

Where's The Fiver?

First thing Stuart did when Bragan substituted another player for him was to come into the stands, still in his uniform, and inquire:

"Where's the guy who offered the five bucks?"

Stuart demonstrated his power again Tuesday when he blasted a two-run homer more than 400 feet over the center field fence off veteran Art Fowler to give the Pirates their winning runs in a 6-4 victory over Cincinnati.

At 24, Stuart has put in four seasons in pro ball and there is considerable doubt in the minds of the Pirates whether he is ready for the majors yet.

Chances are he'll be sent down again, but a lot of people will be rooting for him to come back. He's one kid who not only talks a good game but also has backed it up so far, too.

Heavy Demand For Brave Tickets

MILWAUKEE (UP)—The Milwaukee Braves, major league attendance leaders the past two seasons, figure they would need a stadium seating 75,000 people to take care of opening-day ticket demands. Milwaukee County Stadium seats around 40,000.

Pirates Earn Fifth Straight Exhibition Win

FORT MYERS, Fla. (UP)—The Pittsburgh Pirates try for their sixth straight Grapefruit League victory today as they are host to the Cincinnati Redlegs.

The Bucs, unbeaten in the exhibition play, pushed across two runs in the top of the 10th Wednesday to defeat the Boston Red Sox, 3-1, at Payne Park in Sarasota.

They got their winning runs off Dave Sisler. With two out, Harold Pritchard singled and Bob Skinner doubled him to third. Bill Virdon's single scored both.

Bob Kuzava, Vernon Law and George Witt pitched for the Pirates and gave up a total of only four hits.

The Pirates scored in the first on singles by Skinner and Virdon and a double play. The Red Sox tied it in the second on Mickey Vernon's double and Dick Gernert's single.

Li'l Leaguer

Sports Different Than Business, Says Lawmaker

WASHINGTON (UP)—Professional sports are "different from business," and should be bound by a "players' bill of rights" instead of the federal anti-trust laws, according to Rep. Kenneth Keating (R-NY).

Keating, top-ranking Republican member of the House Judiciary Committee, said Wednesday night he is drafting such a "bill of rights" as a compromise solution to the anti-trust furor that has suddenly sprung up.

He said he was finding it tough to frame a bill that would be "applicable to all sports," but hopes to have his measure ready when the judiciary sub-committee opens consideration of the other two sports bills.

Already offered are a bill to place baseball under the anti-trust statutes (by Rep. Patrick J. Hillings, R-Calif) and a conflicting bill to exempt pro baseball, football, hockey, and basketball from the same laws (by Rep. Oren Harris, D-Ark).

Keating viewed his "bill of rights" as an "appropriate middle ground" between these two measures, because he isn't sure either one of them "is right."

SMU To Test Kansas Tomorrow In NCAA Tournament Contest

By JOHN GRIFFIN

Big Jim Krebs of SMU, who outscored the great Bill Russell in last year's NCAA tournament, will be out to do the same thing to All-American Wilt (The Stilt) Chamberlain of Kansas Friday night in this year's feature second-round game.

Krebs, the greatest scorer in his school's history, outgunned "player of the year" Russell of San Francisco, 24-17, a year ago although he couldn't give SMU the victory.

Kansas (21-2) is ranked the nation's No. 2 team and SMU (21-3) is ranked No. 4. But Krebs and his Mustang mates will have the advantage of a home court to offset that slight difference in records. The winner will be favored to advance all the way to the final round.

Speculation on this game held the center of the "odd day" stage today as the seven first-round winners from Monday and Tuesday moved to the sites of the second-round games Friday night to meet the nine teams who drew first-round byes.

Top-ranked North Carolina a 90-74 winner of Yale in its opener, scheduled a workout today at Philadelphia to get ready for its second-rounder against Canisius. A win over Canisius would enable North Carolina to tie the all-time record of 29 straight wins in a single season set by San Francisco last year.

Here's how the other second-rounders shaped up:

At Philadelphia: Coach Marc Guley of Syracuse (17-6) is hoping his team will regain its peak form of Christmas week for meeting with Lafayette (22-3).

At Lexington, Ky.: Third-ranked Kentucky (22-4) has the twin advantages of the home court and rest for its meeting with Pittsburgh (16-9). Notre Dame (19-7) will be out to repeat an 86-76 win over Michigan State (15-7).

At Dallas: Coach Ed Hickey of St. Louis (19-7) said his Missouri Valley champs would have to match their winning regular-season effort against Oklahoma A&M in order to beat Oklahoma City (18-8).

At Corvallis, Ore.: Coach Phil Wolpert of defending champion San Francisco (18-6) admitted his team is a long shot to keep the title for the third straight year. Champs are picked over Idaho State (25-2). California (20-4) will be more familiar with the court than its rival, Brigham Young (18-8).

Here's All-East Cage Quintet

NEW YORK (UP)— Here is the 1957 United Press All-East basketball team: (with height, class, home town and average listed in order.)

First Team

F Hank Nowark, Canisius, 6-3, sr., Buffalo, N.Y., 20.2.

F. Vinnie Cohen, Syracuse, 6-1, sr., Brooklyn, N.Y., 24.8.

C Alex (Boo) Ellis, Niagara 6-5, Jr., Hamilton, Ohio, 23.9.

G Chet Forte, Columbia, 5-9, sr., Hackensack, N.J., 29.8.

G Guy Rodgers, Temple, 6-0, jr., Philadelphia, 20.0.

Second Team:

Kurt Engelbert, f, St. Joseph's; Johnny Lee, f, Yale; Cal Ramsey, c, NYU; Don Hennon, g, Pittsburgh; Gerry Paulson, g, Manhattan.

Third Team:

Gary Clark, f, Syracuse; Jim Cunningham, f, Fordham; Angelo Lombardo, c, Manhattan; Stu Murray, g, Lafayette; Dick Gaines, g, Seton Hall.

Fight Results—

By UNITED PRESS

CHICAGO: Spider Webb, Chicago, 159½, outpointed Wilf Greaves, Pittsburgh, 161, (10).

Honor Trackers In Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH (UP)— Ron Delany and Charley Jenkins, Villanova University track stars, will be honored along with Pittsburgh's Arnie Sowell and Hungarian refugee runner Laszlo Tabori at the John T. Taylor Memorial Dinner at the Penn-Sheraton Hotel next Wednesday night.

Cage Scores

By UNITED PRESS

East

Brown 88 Cornell 56

NCAA Small College At Evansville, Ind. (Quarter-final Round)

Kentucky Wesleyan 72 Buffalo 66
Mt. St Marys 86 Rider N.J. 66
Los Angeles St. 57 San Diego 45
Wheaton 90 South Dakota 80

NAIA Tournament At Kansas City, Mo. (Second Round)

Western Ill. 80 Wm. Jewell 67
Eastern Ill. 110 Villa Madonna 78
Tennessee A&I 87 Portland 70
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Top-Seeded Teams Still Winning In NAIA Tourney

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UP)—The two top-seeded teams of the 19th annual National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics tournament, Pacific Lutheran and Youngstown, Ohio, were holding true to form today, but it appeared a couple of unheralded fives might upset the form chart in tonight's quarter-finals.

Coming up with unexpected power were Eastern Illinois, which walloped Villa Madonna, Ky., 110-78 in the second round, and Southeastern Oklahoma, a club red-hot at the free throw line, which ousted Southwest Texas, 98-78.

The pairings tonight:

Pacific Lutheran, winner over Stetson, Fla., 105-83, vs. Texas Southern, winner over Ball State of Muncie, Ind., 97-72, at 6 p.m.

Western Illinois, winner over William Jewell (Mo.), 70-69, vs. Tennessee A&I, winner over fifth-seeded Portland, Ore., 87-70, at 9 p.m., both games in the upper bracket.

Eastern Illinois vs. Hamline of St. Paul, Minn., winner over Central, Wis., State 81-69, at 7:30 p.m.

Southeastern Oklahoma vs. Youngstown, winner over Emporia, Kan., State, 80-74, at 10:30 p.m., both games in the lower bracket.

Jim Spivey, a 6-8 center for Southeastern Oklahoma, was the individual star of Wednesday's eight second round games as he controlled both boards and rammed in 46 points for the Savages.

NCAA Small College Tourney In Semi-Finals

EVANSVILLE, Ind. (UP)—Wheaton College and Mount St. Mary's, the favorites, and Kentucky Wesleyan, the dark horse, remained in the running with overlooked Los Angeles State today for the NCAA's first national small college basketball crown.

Wheaton, despite its top rating and a record of 26 wins and only one loss, had the hardest route of the quartet into the semi-finals, using a full court press to overcome a 12-point half-time lead held by a rugged South Dakota team for a 90-80 quarter-final win Wednesday night.

Mount St. Mary's, second highest scoring college team in the nation, swamped Rider of New Jersey, 86-66, with the Mountaineers' scoring star, Jack Sullivan, netting 39 points for a field house record.

Double Figures

Kentucky Wesleyan, with four of its starters scoring in double figures headed by Mason Cope's 23, took a see-saw struggle from Buffalo, 72-66, for its 15th win against 11 losses.

Los Angeles State turned in the only quarter-final upset, revenging two earlier defeats by San Diego State with a 57-55 victory over the Aztecs.

Mount St. Mary's faces Kentucky Wesleyan in the eastern title clash in tonight's semi-finals, and Wheaton meets Los Angeles for the western crown with winners to tangle Friday night for the national trophy.

Yale Swimmers Picked to Win

CHAPEL HILL, N.C., (UP) — The powerful Yale University swimming team, one of the best in the nation, is favored to win the 34th annual NCAA championships at the University of North Carolina March 28-30. About 50 teams, including more than 300 of the nation's top swimming stars, are expected to compete for national honors.

Today's Sports Parade —

Fraley Picks Kentucky To Eliminate Panthers

By OSCAR FRALEY

NEW YORK (UP)—From Dallas to Corvallis the round ball bouncers are in a tournament tizzy this weekend with frenzied action in both the NCAA and NIT and in this corner the results shape up this way:

Game Of The Week

SMU over Kansas: You've got to have rocks in your head to pick against the fabled Wilt-the-Stilt Chamberlain. But the Mustangs are playing in their own back yard in this Friday night special of the NCAA regionals and Jim Krebs could spell the difference.

The remainder of the NCAA schedule shapes up this way:

Friday Night

North Carolina over Canisius: Tar Heeled and feathered.

Syracuse over Lafayette: Cohen, Cohen, gone.

Kentucky over Pittsburgh: Rupp and ready.

Notre Dame over Michigan State: Redeeming those battered football fortunes.

St. Louis over Oklahoma City: Too little, too late.

San Francisco over Idaho State: Without Russell.

California over Brigham Young: On Newell's coaching.

Saturday Night

North Carolina over Syracuse: This is the game of the night as the Yankee Tar Heels, with a starting five from the New York metropolitan area, shoot for their 30th straight victory in an undefeated season. Every game gets tougher as they try to protect that winning streak but they have the guns to peel the Orange.

Notre Dame over Kentucky: This is a tough one with the winner earning the unenviable right to meet North Carolina in the March 22 semi-finals at Kansas City. Consolation: It's a nice trip.

Southern Methodist over St. Louis: The Billikins are steady but if SMU gets past Kansas the impetus should carry them on to Kansas City.

California over San Francisco: The only state being absolutely dead certain to have a team at Kitty's home town.

The NIT

Saturday Night

Utah over Memphis State: The Utes have the class to win a contest you'll be able to witness on video.

Xavier of Cincinnati over Seton Hall: This is the "sleeper" of the tournament and could pick up all the marbles even against idle top-seeded Seattle and Bradley.

Dayton over St. Peters: Perennial runnerup which is a cinch to go just about that far.

Cincinnati over St. Bonaventure: Even without the pitching.

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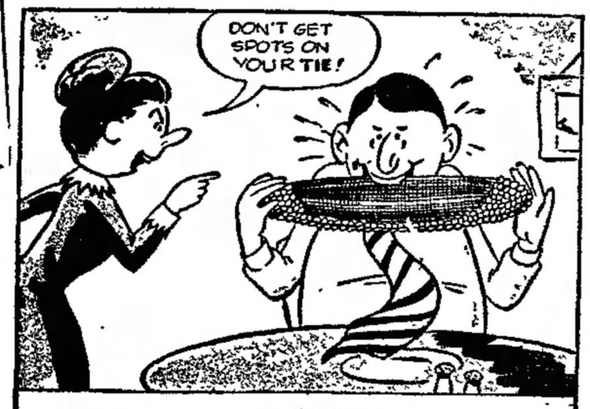

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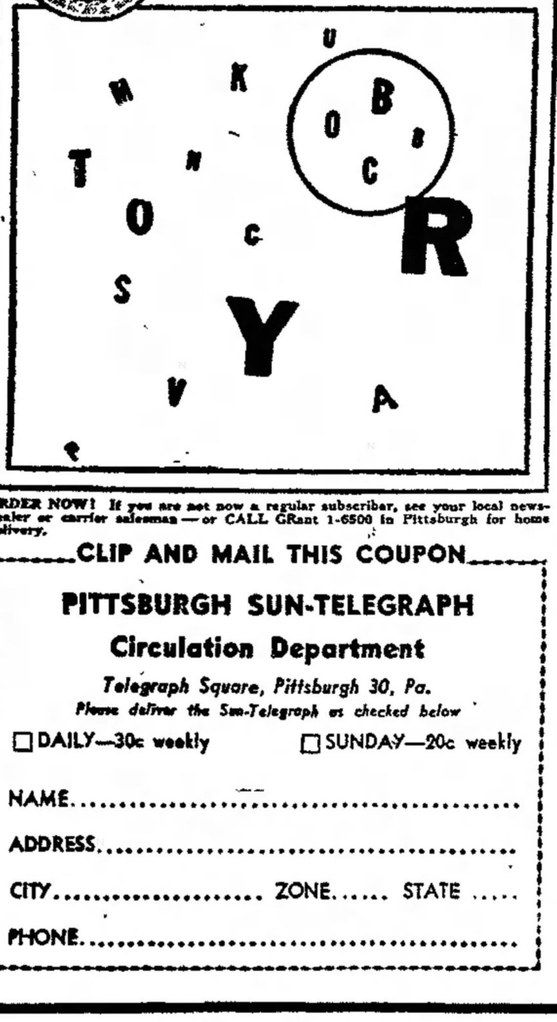

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1 Death Notice

PERRY — Mrs. Bessie, 79, of Charleroi R. D. 1, died Monday, March 11, 1957, at 1:50 p. m. in the Washington Hospital. She is survived by one granddaughter, Mrs. Lillie Mae Bentley, of Detroit, and a host of nieces and nephews. Friends will be received at the Draper Funeral home beginning at 7 p. m. on Wednesday, March 13, and on Thursday, March 14, at 3 p. m. the remains will be taken to the home of a niece, Mrs. Thermon Isbell in Charleroi R. D. 1 Funeral services will be held Friday, March 15, at 11 a. m. from Mt. Sinai Baptist Church in North Charleroi with Rev. T. T. King officiating. Interment will be in the Belle Vernon Cemetery Beverly C. Draper, funeral director.

2 Card of Thanks

HARRIS — The family of the late Mrs. Susie Harris, of Boston, Mass. wishes to extend thanks to the friends for cards of sympathy, telegrams and those who donated cars and the deeds of kindness shown in the loss of our mother. A special thanks to the Antioch Baptist Church of Belle Vernon and the Rev. A. C. Morris, pastor
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3 Memorials

In loving memory of our dear grandson and nephew, Michael Smertka, III, who died three years ago today, March 14, 1954.
We have lost our darling Michael,
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He has gone to live in Heaven,
And his form is lost to view.
Oh, that dear one, how we loved him,
Oh, how hard to give him up,
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And removed him from our flock.
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In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Mary Kurdilla, who died eight years ago today, March 14, 1949 and our dear daughter and sister, Mrs. Marion Kurdilla Susick, who died December 3, 1950.
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And sad the weary way,
For life is not the same to us,
Since you were called away.
Gone from us their smiles,
Those carefree happy ways.
The hearts that won so many friends
In bygone happy days.
Sadly missed by Stephen Kurdilla and Family

In loving memory of our dear father, Harry Bronder, who died four years ago today, March 14, 1953.
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Our dear father has passed away.
Passed from earth and earthly darkness
Into a bright and perfect day.
But we all must cease to languish
O'er the grave of him we love.
Strive to be prepared to meet him,
In the better world above
Sadly missed by Sons, Daughter, and Grandchildren

In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Michael Smertka, III, who died Three Years ago today, March 14, 1954.
Today our hearts are heavy,
Our thoughts are all of thee,
Oh! How we miss you, Michael dear,
No one but God can see.
Some say time heals an aching heart,
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Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of SCOTT BUTLER, late of Monessen, Westmoreland county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, by the Register of Westmoreland county, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated for settlement.
Hattie Butler
Administratrix
P O Address 512 Schoonmaker Ave Monessen, Pa. 7-14-21

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Francis H. Crum,
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Students Killed in Accident

CARLISLE, Pa. (UP)—Three Dickinson College students were killed and another injured seriously when their borrowed automobile, traveling at "excessive speed", slammed into a bridge abutment and plunged into a shallow creek.

The accident occurred Wednesday night on a road in the Pine Grove Furnace recreation area seven miles west of Mt. Holly Springs.

The dead were identified as:

Anne Hilton, 19, 147 S. College St., Carlisle, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. John G. Hilton.

John C. Kelly, 21, 8 Allen Point, Bay Shore, Long Island, N.Y.

Edna C. Walton, 19, 306 Southway, Baltimore.

Listed in serious condition in Carlisle Hospital was Francis D. Ventura, Jr., 19, 1401 Plymouth Blvd., Norristown, son of a prominent Philadelphia surgeon and a well-known golfer in the Philadelphia area.

Cumberland County Coroner Edward A. Haegele said the students, attracted to the recreation area by spring-like weather, were returning to the college campus when the crash occurred. He said the coupe, borrowed from Sam DePasquale, Pittston, also a student, was traveling at excessive speed.

Miss Hilton's father, pastor of St. John's Episcopal Church in Carlisle, was preaching a Lenten service in Harrisburg when he was informed of the accident.

State Trooper Donald Weiksner of the Carlisle Barracks said a preliminary investigation showed the car failed to negotiate a right turn, crashed into the bridge and fell into Laurel Run Creek.

Weiksner said the students were thrown clear of the wreckage and their bodies were pulled from the creek by passing motorists. Parts of the car were found over a wide area.

Miss Hilton, a graduate of Carlisle High School last year, attended Pennsylvania State University her first college term She entered Dickinson at the start of the mid-winter term as a special student.

A Telephone 'Bill'

PASADENA, Calif. (UP) — Louis S. Kurze complained to the telephone company about the constant ringing of an unseen phone outside his window A lineman climbed a pole outside Kurze's window and found a woodpecker inside a transformer box busily tapping on the metal.

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Fliers Floundered

BAD AXE, Mich. (UP)—Friends of Bob McCrea and Bill McCarthy think there was something fishy about their recent trip to Saginaw Bay. The two men said their catch was so heavy when they flew up to do some ice fishing that they had to taxi their light plane for almost a mile before they could get it into the air.

Minimum Salary

HARRISBURG (UP)—The General Assembly today considered legislation to set a minimum $5,000 annual salary for Erie firemen

Foreign Press Inquiry

NEW YORK (UP)— A House Un-American Activities subcommittee questions officials and writers of several foreign language newspapers and periodicals today in its quest for legal ways to curb Communist propaganda in the United States.

A number of the witnesses were drawn from a list of publishers and writers named as Communists by a previous witness, John Lautner, a former party member. Lautner testified that the American public has no conception of "how powerful the foreign language press is and how large a number of people are reached by the party through these organizations."

Lautner, a government "consultant" on Communism, said the foreign language journals found their largest public among industrial workers of foreign birth. Among the publications named by Lautner as having left-wing staff members were Hungarian World, German-American Tribune, the Ukrainian Daily News, the Morning Freiheit, and Russky Golos.

A parade of uncooperative witnesses, most of them identified by Lautner as Communists, was questioned by the subcommittee Wednesday. At the close of the hearing, Rep. Gordon Scherer (R-Ohio) said he believed eight of the witnesses, including Daily Worker Editor John Gates, had "placed themselves in a position of contempt of Congress" by improperly invoking the Fifth Amendment or not invoking it at all in declining to answer questions.

Boys Build Bombs With Chemistry Sets

DETROIT (UP)—Three teen-age boys admitted to police Wednesday they used a Christmas chemistry set to build the bombs whose blasts rocked the city's East Side seven times recently.

The boys, aged 12, 14, and 15, told officers "we all like science." The bombs caused minor damages, but no injuries. The youths were released to the custody of their parents

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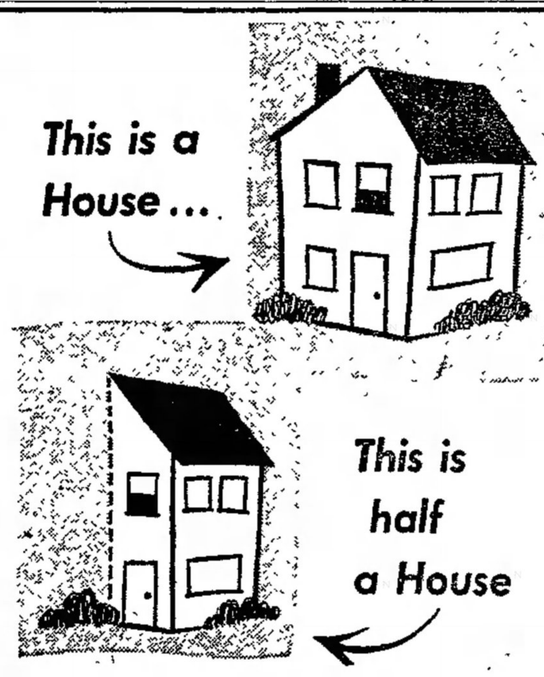

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	KDKA 1020 KC	WCAE 1250 KC	KQV 1410 KC	WJAS WJAS	KDKA-TV Channel 2	WJAC Channel 6	WSTV Channel 9	WFBG Channel 10
5 :00	News; Paul Long	Scores, News; Michael	Showcase	Barry Kaye Show	Big Adventure	Comedy Time	Mickey Mouse Club	Mickey Mouse Club
:15	Sports; Pallan	News, Michael	" "	" "	" "	Wild Bill Hickock	" "	" "
:30	Pallan; Weather	Jay Michael	" "	News	" "	" "	" "	" "
:45	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "
6 :00	News	" "	News	Beckley Smith	" "	Sports Page	Rin Tin Tin	Annie Oakley
:15	Art Pallan		Pie Traynor	Spts Daily Dbie	" "	Music News	" "	" "
:30	Weather; Pallan	News; Michael	Soft Lights	Candlelight	" "	Ozzie & Harriet	Sports	Penna. Today
:45	" "	Jay Michael	Lowell Thomas	Sports	" "	" "	Doug Edwards	Doug Edwards
7 :00	News; Art Pallan	The Rosary	Amos 'n' Andy	Ed. P. Morgan	Code 3	American Legend	Lassie	Duffy's Tavern
:15	Art Pallan	Musical Dividend	" "	F. Lewis, Jr.	" "	Dinah Shore	" "	" "
:30	Bits of Nesbit	Tommy Riggs	Ed R. Murrow	Gabriel Heatter	Susie	News Caravan	Sgt. Preston	Sgt. Preston
:45	" "	" "	" "	Brant	" "	" "	" "	" "
8 :00	3 Star Extra	Symphony Tonite	Night	Official Detective	Bet Your Life	Bet Your Life	Highway Patrol	Bob Cummings
:15	Spot. on Schools	" "	Watchman	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "
:30	Weather; Grow-	Symphony	"	Crime Fighters	Dragnet	Dragnet	Shower of	Shower of
:45	ing Pains	" "	"	" "	" "	" "	Stars	Stars
9 :00	Books & Ideas	Symphony Tonite	Bob & Ray	Top Tunes	Stardust Melodies	People Choice	" "	" "
:15	" "	" "	" "	" "	The Ford Show	" "	" "	" "
:30	Sterling Yates	" "	" "	" "	" "	The Ford Show	Code 3	Playhouse 90
:45	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "
10 :00	News; Pty. Line	Philharmonic	Music for	News	Playhouse of	Lux Theatre	Top Tunes	
:15	" "	" "	Reading	Top Tunes	Stars	" "	" "	
:30	Party Line	Tune Factory	World Tonight	Income Tax	" "	" "	" "	
:45	" "	News Roundup	News	Experts	" "	" "	" "	" "
11 :00	News	Tune Factory	Night	" "	News	News	Weather	Late News
:15	Sports; U. N.	" "	Watchman	Midnight	Prarie Playhouse	Diamond Theatre	Lincoln	Movietime
:30	Party Line	" "	" "	Minister	Theatre	" "	Theatre	" "
:45	" "	" "	" "	Old Timers Pty.	" "	" "	" "	" "
12 :00	Darrell Edwards	News & Sports	" "	Old Timers	" "	" "	" "	" "
:15	Show	Tune Factory	" "	Party	" "	" "	" "	" "
:30	" "	" "	Sign Off	" "	Final Edition	" "	Newscap	Sign Off
:45	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "

FRIDAY MORNING

7 :00	Cordic	Tyson	Contact	Bill Brant Show	Today—	Today	Good Morning!	Good Morning!
:15	News	Dave Tyson	" "	News	Garroway	" "	" "	
:30	Cordic & Co	News	" "	Bill Brant Show	" "	" "	" "	
:45	" "	Dave Tyson	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	
8 :00	& Co	News	News	Brant; News	Today	" "	Capt. Kangaroo	Capt. Kangaroo
:15	" "	" "	Contact	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "
:30	News	Dave Tyson	" "	Bill Brant Show	" "	" "	" "	
:45	& Co	" "	" "	News	" "	" "	" "	
9 :00	Cordic & Co	Wake Up With	" "	Breakfast Club	Home Town	Romper Room	Morning Movie	Roy Rogers
:15	Cordic & Co.	Davey	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "
:30	Cordic & Co	Wake Up With	Kathryn	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "
:45	" "	Davey	Kuhlman	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "
10 :00	News; Pallan	Tommy Riggs	Arthur Godfrey	My True Story	Garry Moore	Home	Garry Moore	Movietime
:15	Pallan	Show	Show	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "
:30	" "	" "	" "	A Girl Marries	Womans Angle	" "	Garry Moore	" "
:45	" "	" "	" "	Whispering Sts	Garry Moore	" "	Variety Fare	" "
11 :00	" "	Jimmy Fidler	" "	News; Music	" "	Price is Right	The Big	" "
:15	" "	Tommy Riggs	" "	Musical Magic	" "	" "	Picture	" "
:30	" "	" "	Perry Como Sh	News; Musical	Strike it Rich	Truth Or	Strike it Rich	Strike it Rich
:45	" "	" "	H Miller Show	Magic	" "	Consequences	" "	" "

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

12 :00	News	News	News	Musical Magic	News at Noon	Tic Tac Dough	Valiant Lady	Short Show
:15	Bob Tracey	Tommy Riggs	News	" "	Kartoon	" "	Love of Life	Love of Life
:30	" "	Woman's World	Helen Trent	Beckley Smith	Search for Tomrw.	Comes Be You	Trouble With	News
:45		" "	Our Gal Sunday	Jane Ellen Ball	Guiding Light	" "	Father	Guiding Light
1 :00		News	Backstage Wife	Your Mind	Big Movie	This Is the	News	News; Stand Up
:15		Safety Lady	Ma Perkins	Jack Paar	" "	Answer	Look Ladies	" "
:30		Jay Michael	Young Dr Malone	Barry Kaye	" "	Feature Theatre	As the World	As the World
:45	" "	" "	Nora Drake	" "	" "	" "	Turns	Turns
2 :00		Jay Michael	Right to Hap'ness	" "		" "	Our Miss Brooks	Our Miss Brooks
:15		" "	2nd Mrs Burton	" "		" "	" "	" "
:30		" "	Strike It Rich	" "	Trouble With	Tennessee Ernie	House Party	Charles Flynn
:45	" "	" "	Entertainment	" "	Father	" "	" "	" "
3 :00	News; Pallan	" "	House Party	" "	Payoff	Matinee	Big Payoff	Big Payoff
:15	" "	" "		" "	" "	" "	" "	" "
:30	" "	" "	Showcase	" "	Storm	" "	Bob Crosby	Girl from Gable
:45	Art Pallan	" "		" "	Valiant Lady	" "	" "	" "
4 :00		" "	" "	" "	Queen for a Day	Queen for a Day	Brighter Day	Brighter Day
:15		" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	Secret Storm	Secret Storm
:30		" "	" "	" "	" "	" "	Edge of Night	Edge of Night
:45	" "	" "	" "	" "	Big Adventure	Mod. Romances	" "	" "

Hedy Lamarr Is Just A Texas 'Housewife'

By ALINE MOSBY

HOLLYWOOD (UP)—Hedy Lamarr, the last of the imported exotic beauties, thinks she's settled down to be "an old-fashioned housewife" in Texas.

Hedy came to Hollywood to make one of her rare public appearances, in a sketch with Jack Benny on CBS "Shower of Stars" tonight.

Aline Mosby

Her very name brings back memories of that creature with long black hair, parted in the middle, who floated down a stairway in "Algiers." The Hedy of 1957 does not appear to fit into that screen type. But does she fit into the role of a Houston housewife as Mrs. Howard Lee?

"I'd like to be the woman in 'Algiers' ", she said with a laugh. "I'm just an old - fashioned housewife who has to do these TV things not to get into a rut. Now the children are in school and I'd love to work again. Otherwise it's a monotonous life.

"I can't be what people expect me to be and build homes, rear them, bring up children, be a tool and have everybody lean on me." she sighed wearily. "Texas is very humid and hot and I'm from the Alps. The people in Houston have been very nice. I've directed three plays in a little theater group there."

Miss Lamarr, who now has short, dark red hair, is difficult to interview because her conversation tablehops from one subject to the next. This makes her delightfully charming in a European way. But it makes an interview sound like two radios playing at once

Recently she returned to work in Hollywood for the first time since "Samson and Delilah" to portray Joan of Arc in "The Story of Mankind", an all-star epic at Warner Studio. But ask her about that and she smiles.

"I made a picture on my own 'The Love of Three Queens', and I just finished editing it and I think it's good. We did this in Rome two years ago. My back broke when my car overturned and 'I've been in constant pain.

"I have peace of mind but life is hectic. Are my husband and I separated? Well, are we? I am in Hollywood and he is not here so we are not together," she added, apparently as a quip.

"It's difficult to live without roots. But my roots are in Austria! My second home is in California and to have made this change to Texas under most awkward circumstances—"

"I never thought I would act for a living. It was to be just for fun when I began at 5. Some day I want to get a house and a boat and live on a lake near Salzburg."

Now that her children are older, she hopes to do more TV shows and films "but not in those same Mata Hari roles." Hedy reflected on her screen type that has been one symbol of foreign glamour for 20 years.

"I'm a freak," she said.

Kim Novak Enters Hollywood Hospital

HOLLYWOOD (UP)— Actress Kim Novak today underwent an examination at Cedars of Lebanon Hospital.

The blonde movie star was admitted to the hospital Wednesday suffering from exhaustion. She is expected to remain in the hospital another two days before taking a three weeks' vacation.

Five Day Forecast

Western Pennsylvania: Temperature will average eight or 10 degrees above normal. Warmer Thursday. Cooler Friday. Warmer Sunday and probably cooler Monday. Rain Thursday night and early Friday and probably again about Sunday totaling around one inch.

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11. Hebrew prophet
12. New England state
13. Confederate
14. A sauce
15. Pare
16. Greek letter
17. With (Scot.)
18. Eastern European
20. Indefinite article
21. Not (prefix)
22. Gold (Sp.)
23. Makes up
28. Mineral rock
29. Can
30. Measure (Chin.)
31. Sheriff's deputies
36. Ahead
37. Man's nickname
38. Center
39. Sounds
41. Baking chamber
42. Acclaim
43. Regions
44. Reclines lazily
45. Reptile

DOWN

1. Scabbard trimming
2. Cavities
3. Little island
4. Indian Ocean island (poss.)
5. Unknown god (Hindu)
6. City (Neb.)
7. Brother of Moses
8. An outfit
9. Not conscious
10. Sheep
14. Triads
19. Negative word
22. Old Testament (abbr.)
23. Army officer
24. River (S. A.)
25. Compass point (abbr.)
26. Sesame
27. Fabulous horse-like animal
31. Fundamental
32. Incites
33. Small pit
34. Caprice
35. Meaning
40. Sick
43. Like

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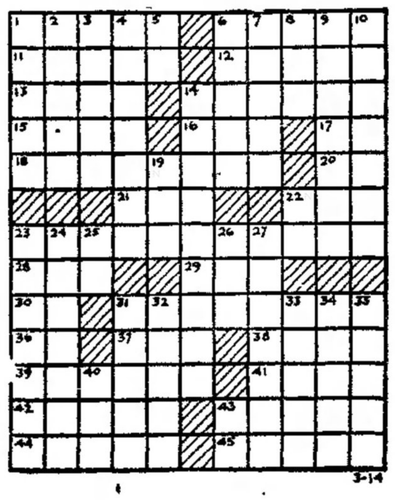

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Your Health—

What Are Reasons For Child Shyness?

By H. N. BUNDESEN, M. D.

Shyness is not born in a child, it is created. And all too frequently the parents are responsible.

True, different youngsters are born with different temperaments but that is only the begining. Whether a child will develop a great degree of shyness depends primarily upon what happens during his early life.

Physical handicaps, of course, play an important part in creating shyness in some children. A youngster who is crippled or suffers from rheumatic heart disease polio or some other serious illness or frailty, quite often becomes unduly shy because of the restrictions placed upon him.

While shyness sometimes results from such physical discomfort, many times it is caused by emotional discomforts. And here is where you parents play so important a part.

Ordinarily, a mother is her child's first close tie. He turns to her for love and sympathy before he seeks it from his father or brothers and sisters.

Unless he gets frequent encouragement from his parents, a youngster is apt to put off or try to avoid taking any action on any problem. And just about everything in a young child's life is a problem of some kind.

Don't force your child to retreat to the protection shyness offers. Don't make him feel inadequate or ashamed of things he tries to accomplish.

Three very important rules to follow are:

1. Don't be too ambitious for your youngster. always expecting him to do more and better than others his age.

2. Don't force a younger child to compete directly with an older one, such as giving them the same musical instruments to play. Younger children generally compete with older brothers and sisters anyway and often feel that they can never catch up.

3. Don't rebuff your child constantly. If you really love him you'll take time to try to understand him.

WQED CHANNEL 13

THURSDAY, MAR. 14

8:45—Test Pattern
9:00—Clock
9:05—Schooltime—Line & Design
9:20—Clock
9:25—Schooltime—Talking Town
9:40—Clock
9:45—TTD Reading
10:10—Clock
10:15—Charming Children
11:00—Clock
11:05—TTD Arithmetic
11:25—Clock
11:30—Music As A Language
12:00—World of Music
1:00—TTD Physics
1:30—Clock
1:32—Schooltime
1:57—Clock
2:00—TTD History-Geography
2:15—Clock
2:17—Schooltime
2:32—Clock
2:57—Schooltime—To the Presses
2:52—Clock
3:00—Parlons Francais
3:15—Washington State
3:30—Arts and Artists
4:00—Children's Corner
5:00—World of Music
6:00—Ken in the City
6:15—Special Film
6:30—American Government
7:00—Adult School
7:30—Art Studio
8:00—Men of Tomorrow
8:15—Growing a Flower Garden
8:30—Pitt Huddle
9:00—Meet the Boss
9:30—The Elements
10:00—Making Music
10:30—America Looks Abroad
11:00—Showcase
11:15—Sign Off

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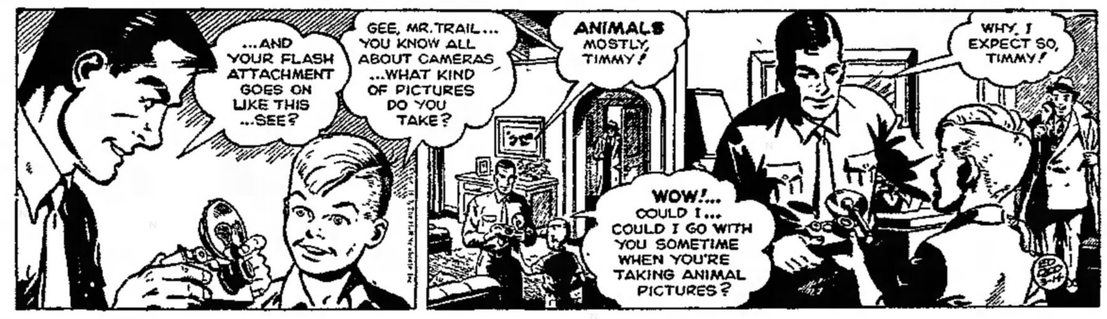
THURSDAY, MAR. 14

3:00—Afternoon Film Festival
4:30—Topic for Today
5:00—TV Film Varieties
6:00—Little Playhouse
7:00—Tele Topics
7:15—John Daly & News
7:30—Dinah Shore
7:45—News Caravan
8:00—Circus
9:00—Danny Thomas Show
9:30—Playhouse 90
11:00—Sign Off

THE PHANTOM — DIXIE DUGAN

AS THE LION LEAPS, THE PHANTOM SWINGS THE HEAVY POST HARD AGAINST THE TENDER SNOUT—
WILSON McCOY 3-14
—AND AGAIN, THE LION ROARS WITH PAIN—
I THINK HE DECIDED HE'S HAD ENOUGH!
"AITH" —HIDDEN EMPIRE NEAR SIAM— RULED BY MAD KING "HAIT"— 3-14
TEMPLES ARE SIMILAR TO THE SIAMESE
"MUCH OLDER" THIS EMPIRE PROBABLY EXISTED BEFORE SIAM—
NOW HERE'S A CHARMING BIT OF STATUARY
EEEK!

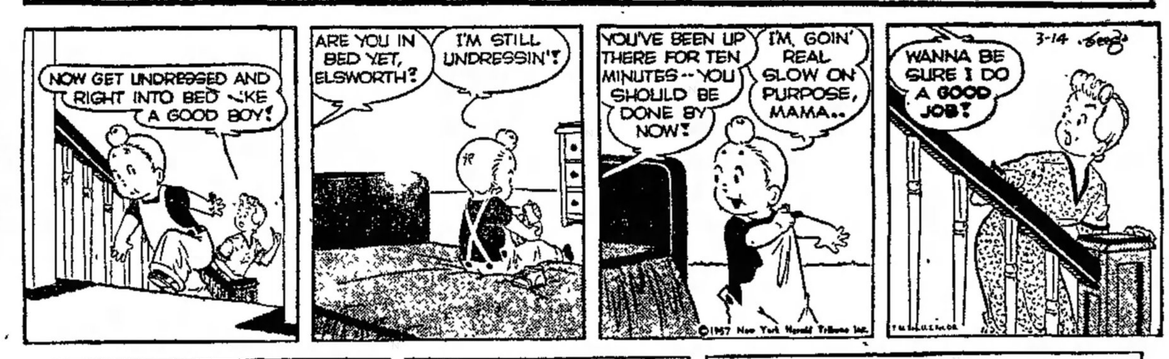
MARK TRAIL


...AND YOUR FLASH ATTACHMENT GOES ON LIKE THIS ...SEE?
GEE, MR. TRAIL... YOU KNOW ALL ABOUT CAMERAS ...WHAT KIND OF PICTURES DO YOU TAKE?
ANIMALS MOSTLY, TIMMY!
WHY, I EXPECT SO, TIMMY!
WOW!... COULD I... COULD I GO WITH YOU SOMETIME WHEN YOU'RE TAKING ANIMAL PICTURES?

MISS PEACH

JUST BECAUSE WALTER'S BABY BROTHER FOLLOWED HIM TO SCHOOL IS NO REASON FOR ALL THIS EXCITEMENT...!
HE'S DARLING! WILL YOU LET HIM WAIT HERE UNTIL HIS MOTHER COMES FOR HIM?!!
ISN'T HE CUTE?
DON'T YOU WISH HE COULD STAY IN OUR CLASS?
MAYBE HE CAN! LET'S GIVE HIM A SPECIAL TEST!
O.K. NOW LISTEN CAREFULLY, KID; IF MARY HAS TEN EGGS AND DROPS THEM, WHAT WILL SHE HAVE?
GOO.
YOU'RE IN! SIGN HIM UP, MISS PEACH!
3-14 MELL

ELLSWORTH


NOW GET UNDRESSED AND RIGHT INTO BED LIKE A GOOD BOY!
ARE YOU IN BED YET, ELSWORTH?
I'M STILL UNDRESSIN'!
YOU'VE BEEN UP THERE FOR TEN MINUTES -- YOU SHOULD BE DONE BY NOW!
I'M GOIN' REAL SLOW ON PURPOSE, MAMA...
WANNA BE SURE I DO A GOOD JOB?
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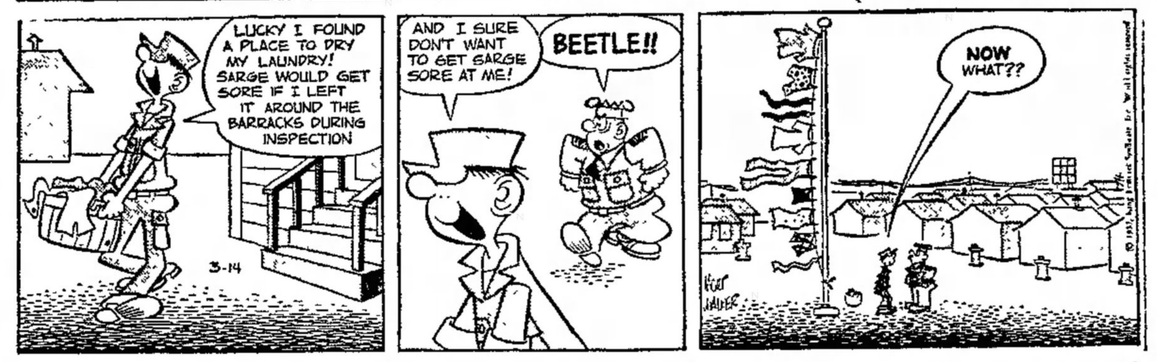
PRIVATE BEETLE BAILEY


LUCKY I FOUND A PLACE TO DRY MY LAUNDRY! SARGE WOULD GET SORE IF I LEFT IT AROUND THE BARRACKS DURING INSPECTION
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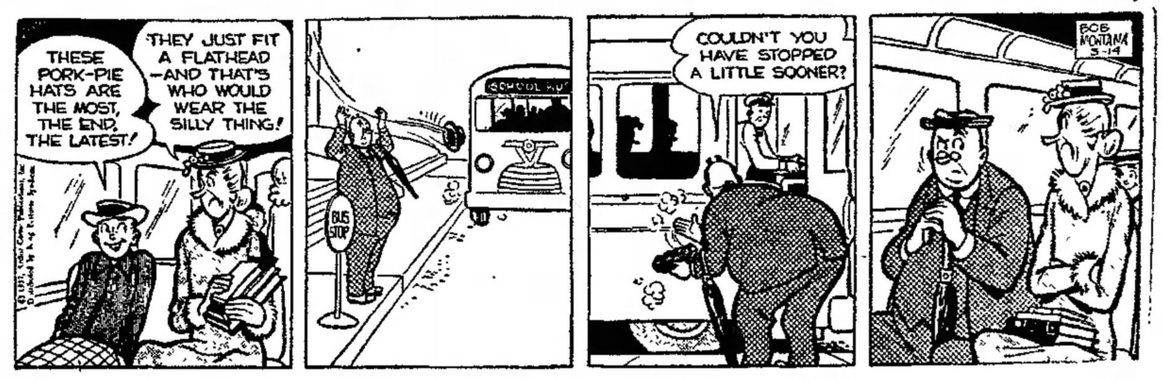
AND I SURE DON'T WANT TO GET SARGE SORE AT ME!
BEETLE!!
NOW WHAT??

ARCHIE


THESE PORK-PIE HATS ARE THE MOST, THE END, THE LATEST!
THEY JUST FIT A FLATHEAD —AND THAT'S WHO WOULD WEAR THE SILLY THING!
BUS STOP
COULDN'T YOU HAVE STOPPED A LITTLE SOONER?
BOB MONTANA 3-14

ETTA KETT

YOUNG MRS. JONES SIMPLY CAN'T FIND A BABY-SITTER. SHE'LL PAY ANY PRICE!
HOW ABOUT IT GIRLS? THERE'S YOUR CHANCE TO EARN SOME EXTRA MONEY!
GEE—I HAVE A DATE!
I'VE GOT TO WASH MY HAIR!
THAT'S INFLATION! THEY JUST TURNED DOWN MORE THAN I MADE WHEN WE WERE FIRST MARRIED.

OZARK IKE

AS THE BUGS LOSE FOUR STRAIGHT EXHIBITION GAMES...
(MOAN) A WEEK'S GONE BY AN' STILL NO SIGN UF SLEDGE HAMMUH!
RECKON MAH IDEA WUZN'T SO HOT!
SHUCKS, HONEY! IF'N HE WUZ AROUND LIKE YUH THOUGHT, SOMEBUDDY'D A-SPOTTED HIS PICTURE ON THOSE PROGRAMS AN' CONTACTED US!
GUESS SO!
HEY... SOMEBODY! WE'VE FOUND TH' GUY TH' BUGS ARE LOOKIN' FOR!

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Young Adults Class Planning School Luncheon

The Young Adult Class of the Marion Presbyterian Church planned for various activities at a meeting held Monday evening in the Marion Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Pearl Stewart conducted the devotional period and read scripture from Genesis. She also conducted an oral quiz.

Final plans were made for the school luncheon, which the group will serve on March 19, at 11:30 a. m. at the church for the school children in the area. June Albright was named dinner chairman with Marlyn Legg, table chairman.

The living picture program was postponed until June 7 when it will be presented in the church.

The annual Mother-Daughter banquet was arranged for May 13.

A social hour followed and luncheon was served by hostesses, Sophie Cutter, Birdie Bradford and Marie Glotfelty. All appointments were in a St. Patrick's Day theme.

Literary Society Hears Review

Mrs. Thomas Malpass, Jr., of Rostraver Township, was hostess to members of the Mimurian Literary Society at her home Tuesday evening. Spring flowers were used as appointments for the serving of a dessert luncheon to open the evening's activities.

The program featured a book review, "The Last Angry Man" by Gerard Gree, presented by the Rev. Allan Howes, of the Asbury Methodist Church of Uniontown, former pastor of the First Methodist church of Monessen. Mr. Howes told the dramatic story of the guest for a medical education by a young resident of Brooklyn.

The business session included the roll and exchange of books.

Fairhope Brownie Troop Takes Hike

Fairhope Brownie Troop 10 began a program of spring activities with a hike Tuesday evening instead of holding the usual meeting. The girls went for a walk in the area each taking her own "nosebag" luncheon.

Accompanying them were Elsie Adamec, leader; Frances Oliver, co-leader; Marion Shaw, senior aide; Mrs. Evelyn Zelczak, a Brownie mother.

Regular meetings will be resumed next week at the Marion Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. William Hoffman, of State street, is a patient in the Charleroi-Monessen Hospital, suffering injuries sustained in a fall at her home more than a week ago.

Andrew Kuhl New Borough Secretary; Venneri Resigns

Andrew Kuhl was appointed North Belle Vernon borough secretary at a meeting of Borough Council Tuesday evening in the council rooms.

The appointment followed the resignation of Sam Venneri, who had held the post since Jan. 1. He was elected following the resignation of Leo Hixenbaugh, who served in that capacity for 27 years.

Venneri, who was employed a the local post office, has accpete a position with the Civil Aeronautics Authority in Cleveland and hi resignation is effective March 25.

Myford Michener, president, wa in charge and other councilmer attending were Ross Boston, Joseph Tintori, Tony Stringhill, Amerigo Franceschi and William Rowley. Solicitor E. J. Morell, Engineer A. A. McDonald and Burgess Leroy Jones were also present.

Burgess Jones joined Belle Vernon Burgess William Venneri in proclaiming March 29, Knights of Columbus Day in observance of the 75th anniversary of the order.

Bids for the street roller were opened and Highway Equipment Co. was the lowest bidder. The equipment will be delivered in a week or so.

The administration committee was authorized to secure bids for painting the interior of the council chambers.

About 50 firemen, who earned the equired number of points, were xonerated from per capita tax.

The removal of the street car ails from Broad avenue is planed in the near future.

Barbara Bulger To Be Hostess

Barbara Ann Bulger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Q. Bulger, of 307 Delmont avenue, Belle Vernon, is preparing herself for a career as an airline hostess. She plans to enter the Grace Downs Air Career School, New York City.

Immediately upon graduation from the Downs School, which is housed in the mansion once owned by Bernard Baruch, she will be interviewed by the world's leading airlines and then receive her air assignment.

Miss Bulger is a graduate of Bellmar High School and was employed in a secretarial capacity in Monessen.

Vernon PTA Plans Year's Program

A meeting of the executive committee of the Vernon Parent Teacher Association has been called by the president, Mrs. James Price, for this evening at 7:30 in the library of Vernon Junior High School.

Plans will be made for a membership meeting which will be held next Monday evening in the Vernon Junior High School.

Arrangements for the remainder of the club year will also be completed.

Lenten Study Classes Held at Methodist Church

The second in a series of Lenten study classes will be held in the First Methodist Church next Monday evening at 7:30 under the sponsorship of the Wesleyan Service Guild.

The theme will be "Paul's Letters" and the teacher will be Mrs. Florence Ames.

Mrs. Ames discussed "The Life of Paul" at the initial class held last Monday evening and there were 33 women present from the Guild, the Women's Society of Christian Service of the local church, First Methodist of Monessen, Fells Methodist and from the Belle Vernon First Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. William Bierwirth conducted the devotional program on "The Church" in behalf of the sponsoring organization and the Guild president, Carol Davenport, introduced the instructor.

Next Monday the Monessen women will lead the devotions with the title, "I Am the Church". This class will replace the regular Guild session and refreshments will be served after the program.

The third devotional program will be by the Fells WSCS with the theme "The Living Church" and the final devotional program will be under the leadership of Mrs Paul Davison, of the local WSCS.

The regular meeting of the Guild has been advanced to April 8, since the third Monday of the month, the usual meeting date, is in Holy Week.

Protestant Churches In Prayer Service

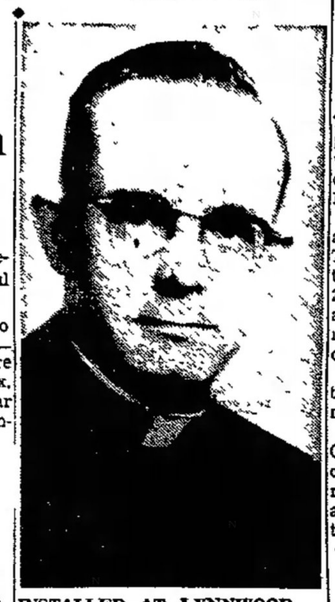
Representatives of various Protestant churches took part in the recent Prayer Service held at the First Christian Church of Belle Vernon.

Mrs. Clair Hess and Mrs. Pauline Schmidt represented the Free Methodist; Mrs. D. W. Moran and Mrs. J. VanDivner, First Baptist; Mrs. Earl Cramer, First Methodist; Mrs. Cora Mills, Mrs. Dorothy Wendel and Mrs. Esther Mazza, First Christian and Mrs. Luther Owens, Speer street A.M.E.

Legion Auxiliary To Meet Friday

The American Legion Ladies Auxiliary will meet in regular session Friday evening at the Legion Home with the president, Mrs. Inez Lehew, in charge.

Tonight another of the weekly card parties will be held in the hall.



INSTALLED AT LYNNWOOD — The Rev. James D. Percy has been formally installed as pastor of Lynnwood Lutheran Church by the Rev. Paul E. Daugherty, missionary superintendent of the Pittsburgh Synod. He is a graduate of Thiel College and Northwestern Seminary and came to Lynnwood from St. Paul Lutheran Church, Coudersport, Pa.

King's Daughters Class Meets at Manown Home

Mrs. Jane Manown, of Lynnwood, was hostess to members of the King's Daughters Class of the First Baptist Church at her home Tuesday evening. June River was the devotional leader. She also read an article, "Learning to Trust God".

President Kay Hanchin was in charge of the business session during which plans were completed for the annual Mother-Daughter banquet, which will be held in the church social rooms.

The following committees were appointed to have charge, menu, Olivia Keracik, Elizabeth Keracik, Stella Shosky and Isabelle Kyle. program, Mona Sichi, Jane Manown, Kay Hanchin and June River; decorations, Lavina McClain, Minnie Burkhart, Nellie Nichols and Irene West.

The ill members were sent cards.

Plans were made for the next meeting at the Burkhart home with June Manown in charge of devotions and games.

Luncheon was served during the social hour and June River was in charge of games. All appointments were in St Patrick's Day theme and each guest received an umbrella handkerchief favor Winning prizes were Minnie Burkhart, Lavina McClain and Isabelle Kyle.

Methodist Choir To Meet Tuesday

The choir of the First Methodist Church will meet next Tuesday evening in the church social rooms after rehearsal. The meeting was postponed from this week and Carol Davenport is hostess.

Plans will be complete for the Easter cantata, which is titled "Hail the Easter King" by Molte.

Protest Use of Market Street As Practice Area for Drivers

Citizens of the Market street area protested the use of the street by student drivers for practice driving and turning at the March meeting of Belle Vernon borough council.

The matter was turned over to Police Chief Vince Isenberg, who was instructed to police this area frequently and residents were urged to turn in the license numbers of violators. Turning is being prohibited as a safety measure.

President Alex Basits conducted the session, which was attended by Joe Caputo, Roger Gaggini, Robert Schmidt and Sam Van Bremen. Also attending were Solicitor John E. Costello, Street commissioner Joe Stephens and Isenberg.

A complaint was received on the position of a catch basin at the Grant and Bluff street intersection and it was decided that this would be lowered in order to function properly.

The street committee also reported that 23 feet of 18-inch sewer was replaced on Grant street Cleaning work was reported as complete on Main and Market streets.

It was reported that Belle Vernon Fire Co. No. 2 purchased two new batteries for the truck and was also authorized to buy 300 feet of hose if and when needed

Isenberg reported on his activities for February and Burgess William Vennerı reported that $5 was collected in fines last month. Tax Collector Steven Smith reported a collection of $837 94 and the balance recorded in all funds amounted to $7,449.67.

Lions Minstrel Show Tonight

The final performance of the 10th annual Belle Vernon Lions Club Minstrel Show will be staged tonight at 8 p. m. in the Bellmar High School auditorium.

The Tuesday and Wednesday evening shows attracted a large crowd.

Robert McKean and Ernest Dolfi directed the large cast and the latter also directed the band in providing the musical background.

All proceeds from the project are used to support the Lions Club service program.

Calls for End To One Cent Gasoline Tax

PHILADELPHIA (UP) — The Keystone Automobile Club called Tuesday for an end to the one-cent "emergency" gasoline tax levied to pay for highway flood damage caused by hurricanes in August, 1955.

Club President J. Maxwell Smith charged the State Department of Highways had done little to remedy the highway damage. He said $46-million will be collected by May 31 through the emergency tax for repair of flood-caused road and bridge damages.

Smith said only $7.3-million was spent by last Dec. 31 and less than $2 million more is earmarked for repairs by May 31.

He said the Pocono Mountain area "still is "a mess of torn-up roads, washed out bridges and many miles of detour."

The Highways Department, said however, that all washed out bridges have been replaced by permanent or temporary spans although a steel shortage slowed the replacement. It said it has moved swiftly to remedy the flood damage.

Bell to Quit Four-party Line In Connellsville

HARRISBURG (UP)—The Bell Telephone Co. will eliminate four-party line service in its Connellsville central office when it introduces dial operation there March 17.

The Public Utility Commission approved the change in service Tuesday, after the company said that all except 15 of the firm's 2,042 four-party subscribers agreed to take two-party line service at an increased rate of 60 cents a month.

The 15 subscribers, all beyond the base rate area, chose to take multi-party service, the firm said.

The firm will also broaden its Connellsville exchange area to include Coldbrook and Moyer areas, resulting in a reduction of $820 annually for some 92 subscribers, the commission reported.

House Takes Up Ike's Challenge

WASHINGTON (UP)— House Democratic leaders today took up President Eisenhower's challenge to seek out ways in which to reduce his $71.8 billion budget.

They promised to wield the economy axe themselves after Mr. Eisenhower said they were welcome to try to scale down federal spending.

Mr. Eisenhower made the statement at his news conference Wednesday when commenting on a House-passed resolution asking for presidential "guidance" in slimming the budget.

The House Democratic leaders said they can and will cut spending without crippling essential national defense programs, as the President contended any deep slashes would do.

But they warned that unless the President helps pinpoint possible savings, some of Mr. Eisenhower's pet programs—notably foreign aid and school construction—would fall under the congressional economy axe.

Other congressional news:

Taxes: The House is almost certain to approve legislation to extend for another year present taxes on corporations, liquor, cigarettes and automobiles. But the measure may face strong attempts in the Senate to amend it to provide tax relief for small corporations. Unless the legislation is passed, taxes on these items will drop to lower levels April 1.

Scandal: Rep. Patrick J. Hillings (R-Calif) said he will ask the House Judiciary Committee to investigate whether scandal magazines and "private eyes" are engaged in extortion.

Elections: Sen. George A. Smathers (Fla), chairman of the Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee, predicted Democrats will pick up from four to seven additional Senate seats in the 1958 elections. He said party prospects are particularly good in Maryland, New York, California, New Jersey, Arizona, West Virginia and Maine.

Farm: The House killed by a 217 to 188 vote legislation to raise the planting allotment for 1957-crop corn to last year's level of 51 million acres. After the action, Assistant Agriculture Secretary Marvin L. McLain promised that the administration if necessary will take steps to prevent a collapse in corn prices.

Too Much Loot

MILWAUKEE, Wis. (UP)—Axle Pavich, a collector for a vending machine company, told police Wednesday someone stole $2,000 in quarters he had collected. The loot apparently was too heavy for the thieves because they also took Pavich's truck.

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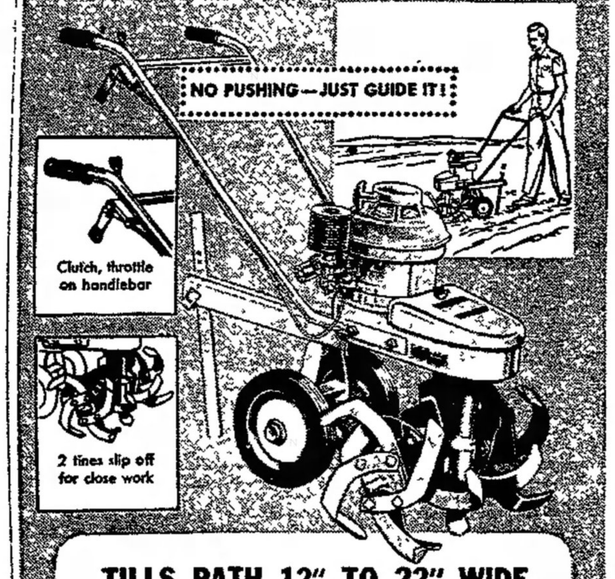

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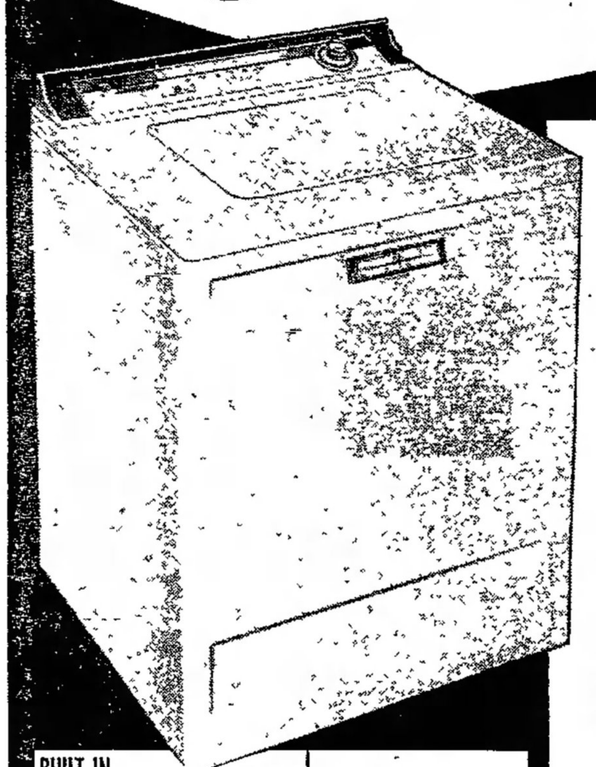

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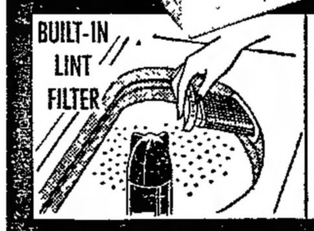

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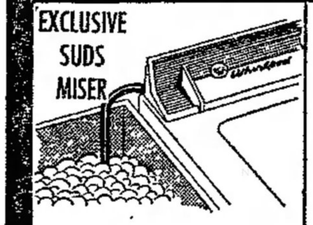

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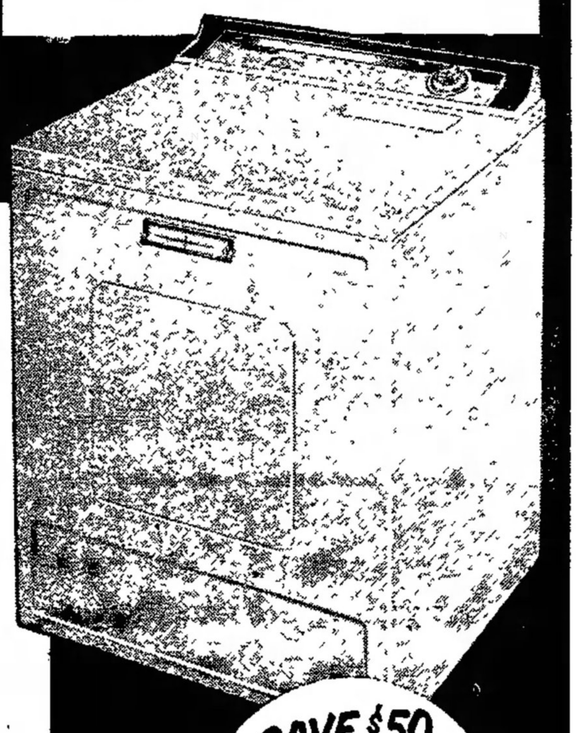

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Ladies Guild Hears Talk By Church Pastor Here

The Ladies Guild and Christian Mothers of St. Edward Catholic Church held its regular meeting Tuesday evening in the social rooms of the church.

Mrs. Ruth McGinsky presided. Prayers were led by the Rev. Charles Ribick.

The Society has suspended all social and fund raising activities during Lent. A devotional and business session will be held in April. The group will also take Easter Communion on Palm Sunday.

Father Ribick played eight recordings, which included the seven sacraments. The eighth recording was the ten commandments.

Games were played under the direction of Dolores Shimko and Agnes Molnar, program chairmen. Prizes went to Mary McKee, Eleanor Krimpasky, Marie Kilistchak. Cora Sabolek, Mrs. Berris and Mrs. Worry.

Twenty-six reservations have been received for the trip to St. Anne de Beaupre on July 6. More reservations are available. The trip will last eight days.

Members of the Society have been invited to the annual Legion Auxiliary St. Patrick's Day Tea to be held Saturday in the Methodist Church.

A brief social hour followed. Officers were hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Kraft left today for a three-week vacation in Florida. They plan to spend most of their time in St. Petersburg.

Third Service In Pre-Easter Series Tonight

The Rev. Frederick Hunt, executive secretary of the board for the Pittsburgh conference, will speak at the third Pre-Easter service in the Methodist Church tonight.

He will speak on "Reaching People Through Teaching."

Mr. Hunt attended Thiel and Allegheny colleges, graduating from the latter in 1935. He attended Boston University Theology School and graduated in 1938. He was executive secretary of the Erie conference Board of Education.

He served the Lakewood Church prior to coming to the Pittsburgh conference.

A coffee hour and open forum is held following the service.

Wants to Cut Fee

HARRISBURG (UP)—The state Senate has received a House-approved proposal to cut the $10 small trailer registration fee to $5.

Lions Club in Amateur Show Here Tomorrow

Twenty acts will be seen in the annual Lions Club amateur night contest tomorrow evening in the auditorium of the Fayette City Community Center.

Don Stephens, general chairman, has announced that the first prize winner will receive $20 and represent the local club at the District 14E show at Greensburg.

Richard Richardson, club president, will be master of ceremonies. He is being assisted by Stephens and Paul Jesick.

The stage and hall committee is comprised of LeRoy Gardner, Vernon Smith and Jack Stockton. Ticket committee chairmen are Howard McCrory and J. Hilmar Renstrom.

Army Troops to Hold Maneuvers

WASHINGTON (UP)—More than 40,000 Army troops will engage in mock war in Louisiana's massive maneuver area this spring in a test of atomic age concepts for airborne, infantry and armored combat units.

Two series of exercises are scheduled. "King Cole" will run from March 27 through April 16 with about 21,000 troops. "Sledge Hammer" will run from April 24 through May 23 with 19,000 troops, chiefly of the 1st Armored Division from Fort Polk, La.

SALLY'S SALLIES

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"But you know, dear, I always admired you at a distance."

Sales Tax 'Laxity' Is Charged by Bloom

HARRISBURG (UP)—Republican State Chairman George I. Bloom has charged today the Legislature has to raise more than $100,000,000 because of "maladministration" of the 3 per cent sales tax.

Bloom said a private report on the operations of the Sales Tax Bureau "is an amazing indictment of the Leader administration."

"The evidence of gross incompetence, laxity in supervision and the carefree and haphazard way in which this agency of our state government has been collecting the sales tax, is almost unbelievable," he said.

Gov. George M. Leader earlier released a 50-page report by the orivate consulting firm which said the administration of the tax was improving but still was inadequate. The report said the Tax Bureau made some improvements since October but still faced several major problems in obtaining the full revenue to be derived from the tax.

Bloom said "as a result of this sales tax debacle, the Legislature is now compelled to raise more than $100,000,000 which has gone down the drain through this kind of maladministration."

"The Leader administraton has sabotaged mental health and education programs by failing to collect the money needed to pay for them," he said. "Every dollar taken from the taxes collected in the next biennium to pay off this Leader deficit sales tax, is a dollar that won't be available for these programs."

White Youth Is Held in Chicago In Negro Slaying

CHICAGO (UP)— Police today held a 17-year-old white youth who they said admitted the hammer slaying of a young Negro, apparently on impulse.

"It was just one of those things," police quoted the admitted killer, Joseph Schwartz, as saying.

The victim, Alvin Palmer, 17, a high school honor student, was clubbed to death Monday night as he waited for a bus in a white neighborhood.

Police Capt. Jerome McCarthy said Schwartz and four other youths, aged 16 and 17, were cruising in a car when they spotted the victim.

"I'm going to get that guy," Schwartz was quoted as telling the others.

The boys stopped the car, police said, and Schwartz ran up to Palmer, grabbed him and slugged him about the head with a claw hammer.

Schwartz shouted "I got him!" and the five youths returned to their car and fled, police said.

Ike Leaves for Bermuda Tonight

WASHINGTON (UP)—President Eisenhower, hitherto a dry land and blue skies president, sets out to sea today in hopes balmy southern breezes will waft away his winter cold.

Mr. Eisenhower, in his first voyage aboard a warship since becoming president, was scheduled to sail southward tonight from Norfolk, Va., aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Canberra. His eventual destination, after a leisurely, six-day cruise, is Bermuda where he will arrive on the afternoon of March 20 for a four-day meeting with British Prime Minister Harold Macmillan.

The President thought first of Arizona, then southern Florida, as possible rest spots before going to the Bermuda conference. But early this week he decided an ocean voyage would offer a better opportunity for rest and relaxation.

The Navy swung into action and came up with the Canberra, the nation's second guided missile cruiser, and two escorting destroyers — the William M. Wood and the Barton. A group of 24 reporters, radio-TV men and photographers will travel aboard the smaller vessels. A small presidential staff will be aboard the cruiser.

The President was scheduled to fly to Norfolk, leaving Washington this afternoon and arriving in time for a visit to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization's Atlantic Fleet headquarters of Adm. Jerauld Wright before boarding the Canberra.

Sailing time from Norfolk was about 7 p.m. EST. After six days and nights of cruising, the Chief Executive is due in the harbor of Hamilton, Bermuda, next Wednesday afternoon.

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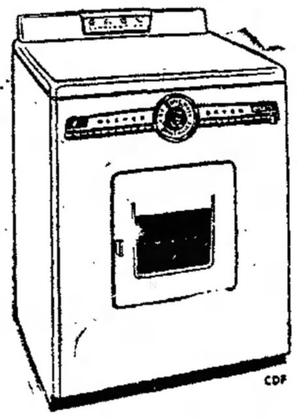

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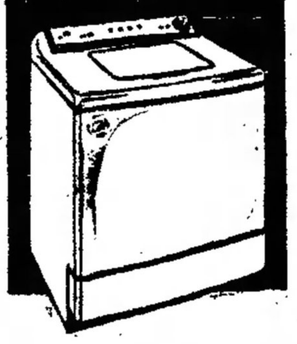

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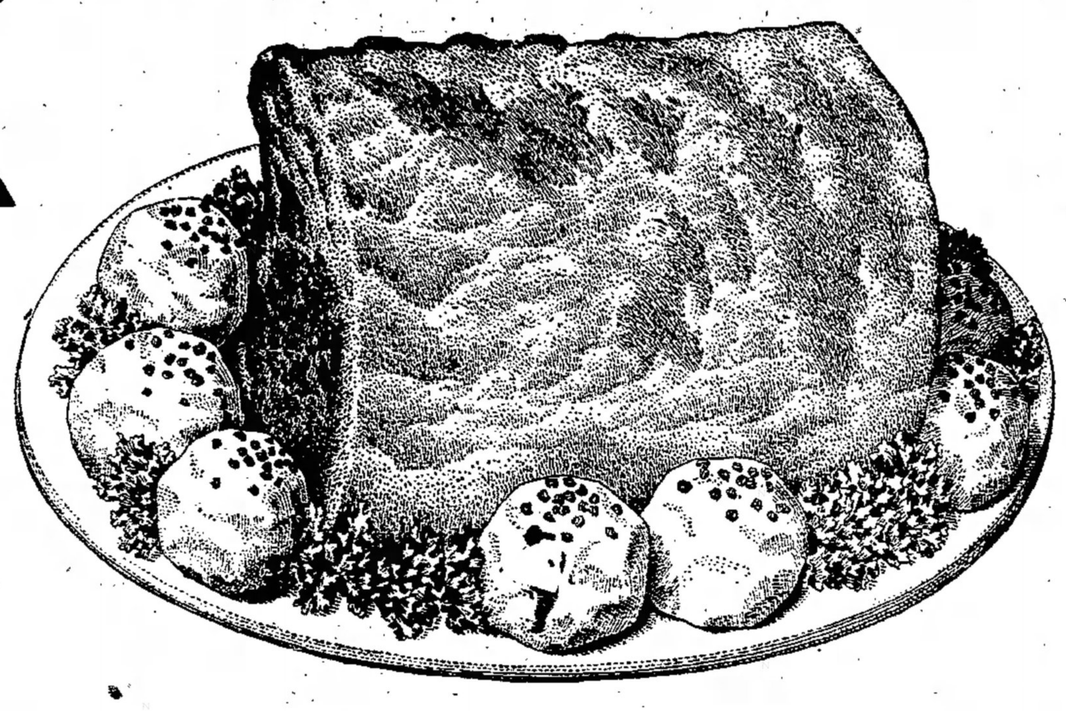

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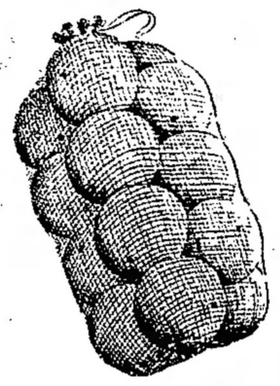

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